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ABSTRACT

The Lower Permian Wolfcamp Group in the West Texas Permian Basin is recognized as an economically significant unit that has extremely complex stratigraphy. These deposits were historically well studied only in isolated regions where data was abundant, as is the case on the highly developed Eastern Shelf of Midland Basin (a sub-region of the Greater Permian Basin) or in outcrop exposures. More recently, data has become abundant in the basinal occurrences of the Wolfcamp Group, first in Midland Basin and then in Delaware Basin. This work integrates a variety of data sets to delineate the regional stratigraphy of the Wolfcamp Group in multiple settings across the Permian Basin.

First, two extended (>1000' thick) cores through the Wolfcamp Group in Southern Midland Basin and their XRF-derived chemofacies are interpreted through a novel stratigraphic model which posits that siliceous deposition and carbonate deposition can, under certain conditions, reflect highstand and lowstand conditions, respectively. This differs from the implementation of the traditional reciprocal-sedimentation model, which often assumes that significant detrital sediment is available, and that inherited topographies are such that shallow (photic zone) carbonate factories have reduced surface area during sea level lowstands.

Second, proximal deposits in the Wolf Camp Hills type-locality outcrops were studied using traditional stratigraphic techniques combined with drone photogrammetry and handheld gamma-ray spectroscopy to document two large-scale (3rd-order)

sequences occurring in the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. These sequences are bounded by unconformities and associated carbonate-clast conglomerate deposition and create a framework into which chemostratigraphic data are placed.

Third, available well log data is used to correlate chronostratigraphic surfaces in the Wolfcamp Group from the tectonically complex and understudied Southern Delaware Basin near the type section outcrops to the Southern Midland Basin (west-east correlations) and to the central Delaware Basin (south-north correlations). These correlations create a chronostratigraphic framework into which absolute age dates can be extrapolated with confidence across the Greater Permian Basin.

In summary, the results of these studies reinforce the complex nature of Wolfcamp Group stratigraphy, which varies dramatically as a function of its position within the Greater Permian Basin. Specifically, distal, basin floor strata contain thick and complex lowstand sedimentary packages, sometimes carbonate-rich, which are expressed as unconformities overlain by carbonate-clast conglomerates in proximal strata. Conversely, transgressive and highstand system tracts result in the deposition of highly radioactive (>100 API units) mudstone intervals, often siliceous in composition, which are apparent on well logs and can be correlated regionally, including from the basin center onto the Southern Shelf. These correlated surfaces connect studied cores in Southern Midland Basin with the outcrops in Southern Delaware Basin, and provide a unifying framework for the Wolfcamp Group in the Greater Permian Basin.

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NOMENCLATURE

AAPG	American Association of Petroleum Geology
Al	Aluminum
API	American Petroleum Institute
BEG	Bureau of Economic Geology
Ca	Calcium
DOM	Digital Outcrop Model
GR	Gamma-Ray
HEB	Hybrid Event Bed
HST	Highstand System Tract
IFP	Institut Français du Pétrole
ILD	Deep Induction (wireline log tool)
k.y.	Thousand year(s), duration
LLD	Laterolog (wireline log tool)
LST	Lowstand System Tract
Ma	Million year (Age)
Mo	Molybdenum
MWU	Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity
Ni	Nickel
Ohmm	Ohm * meter(s)
PeF	Photoelectric Factor
ppm	Parts per million

SB	Sequence Boundary
Si	Silicon
TOC	Total Organic Content
TST	Transgressive System Tract
WCH	Wolf Camp Hills
XRD	X-Ray Diffraction
XRF	X-Ray Fluorescence
Zr	Zirconium

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INTRODUCTION

Background

The term “Wolfcamp” was originally applied to a Lower Permian formation cropping out in the eponymous Wolf Camp Hills (Udden, 1917) at the foot of the Glass Mountains in Brewster County in West Texas. Having later been adopted as a series name on the geologic timescale (Adams et al., 1939), the Wolfcampian Series in the Glass Mountains was recognized as containing two distinct formations, the lower Neal Ranch Formation in the Wolf Camp Hills, and the upper Lenox Hills Formation in the nearby Lenox Hills (Ross, 1963) but these formation names were never widely adopted in the subsurface, and this study therefore refers to the combined Wolfcamp Group.

These Lower Permian rocks had been reasonably well studied in outcrop where they are carbonate-rich (e.g., King, 1931) and later in the subsurface of the Greater Permian Basin where they are mudstone-rich (e.g., Hall, 1956), but their importance as a hydrocarbon source rock which could be targeted by oil-and-gas operators directly was not fully realized until around 2009 (Fairhurst and Hanson, 2012). Since then, interest and development around these rocks have grown exponentially, in both the western Delaware Basin and the eastern Midland Basin, both part of the Greater Permian Basin. While it was readily apparent that the Wolfcamp Group in the basin is extremely heterogeneous (e.g., Hamlin and Baumgardner, 2012), the controls on its basinal stratigraphy, and how it ties to the historically studied carbonate-rich outcrops, remained poorly understood.

Early stratigraphic models first developed for the Wolfcamp Group on the shallowly dipping Eastern Shelf of Midland Basin (e.g., Van Siclen, 1958) where individual clinoforms and their internal facies transitions were readily observed on extremely tightly spaced well logs. In other basins, models developed which predicted the development of carbonate strata in proximal settings at high sea levels, and the deposition of detrital silica in basinal settings during low sea levels and associated sediment bypass of fluvial input (Wilson, 1967). Building on this model, carbonate deposits observed on the basin floors were then often assumed to be the result of highstand shedding by carbonate factories (Droxler and Schlager, 1985).

Sequence stratigraphy evolved greatly with the advent of seismic data which enabled the visualization of true chronostratigraphic surfaces (e.g., Vail et al., 1977), often flooding surfaces capping individual clinoforms. When recognized, these surface prevent the lithostratigraphic grouping of seemingly similar facies tracts between adjacent rocks of distinct age, but seismic data taken on behalf of industry operators is often not publicly available and is not available for use in this study.

This study investigates the stratigraphy of the Wolfcamp Group in the Greater Permian Basin using cores in Reagan County, outcrops in Brewster County and with well log data spanning the region. These data are investigated in order to explore the controls of sedimentation in the basin, to identify and correlate chronostratigraphically significant markers between depositional environments, and to determine how the stratigraphy of the Wolfcamp Group varies across these sub-regions and over the course of its deposition, as a function of its position within the Greater Permian Basin.

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CHAPTER II

AN INTEGRATED CHEMO- AND SEQUENCE STRATIGRAPHIC ANALYSIS OF
EXTENDED (>1000 FT) LOWER PERMIAN WOLFCAMP CORES,
REAGAN COUNTY, WEST TEXAS

Abstract

Two 1000'+ (300 m) cores of Lower Permian (Wolfcampian) strata from Midland Basin, Texas were described bed-by-bed to establish an integrated lithostratigraphic, chemostratigraphic, and sequence stratigraphic framework. Ten lithofacies, where mudstones were defined as being finer than coarse silt in size, include: 1) dolostone, 2) floatstone, 3) graded skeletal grainstone, 4) graded skeletal wackestone and packstone, 5) graded calcisiltstone, 6) siliceous siltstone, 7) carbonate mudstone, 8) mixed siliceous-carbonate mudstone, 9) siliceous mudstone and 10) argillaceous mudstone. Using this framework, in conjunction with significant stratigraphic surfaces, four depositional sequences were identified and correlated between the two cores. Each sequence transitions up section from carbonate-rich intervals interpreted as lowstand deposits upward into siliceous mudstone beds where the dominant source of silica is biogenic, interpreted as pelagic transgressive to highstand deposits. This differs from the traditional deep-water reciprocal sedimentation model where quartz-rich strata are interpreted as lowstand deposits, and carbonate-rich strata are interpreted as transgressive to highstand deposits.

Introduction

The Wolfcamp Group in the Permian Basin, and in both the Delaware and Midland sub-basins (Figure II-1A), contains a series of stacked, tight-oil reservoirs intercalated with organic-rich mudstones. Since 2012, this stratigraphic unit has become one of the primary zones of unconventional reservoir exploitation by industry (Gaswirth, 2018). However, despite significant historical and ongoing interest in the Wolfcamp Group (e.g., Candelaria et al., 1992; Fitchen, 1997; Ross and Ross, 1997; Saller et al. 1999, Ruppel, 2001; Mary Van Der Loop; 2017; Thompson et al., 2018), its detailed basinal stratigraphy, as well as its relationship to more proximal shelf stratigraphy, are still not fully understood. Presently, some difficulty remains in determining the controls on sedimentation in the basin. This stems partially from the difficulty in applying traditional sequence stratigraphic models, which require the presence of fluvial systems along the basin margins to provide siliciclastic sediments to the basin during sea-level falls. Where fluvial systems are not present, the classic reciprocal sedimentation model does not apply. This inability to sub-divide the Wolfcamp Group into siliciclastic-prone lowstand sediments and carbonate-rich transgressive to highstand sediments negatively impacts the ability of operators and public agencies to predict the occurrence and distribution of Wolfcampian sediments in the subsurface. Additionally, strata coeval to the Wolfcamp Group in the subsurface do not crop out near southern Midland Basin. Fortunately, extensive well data in this basin, coupled with an abundance of new core control, provides excellent insight into the Wolfcamp Group in the subsurface.

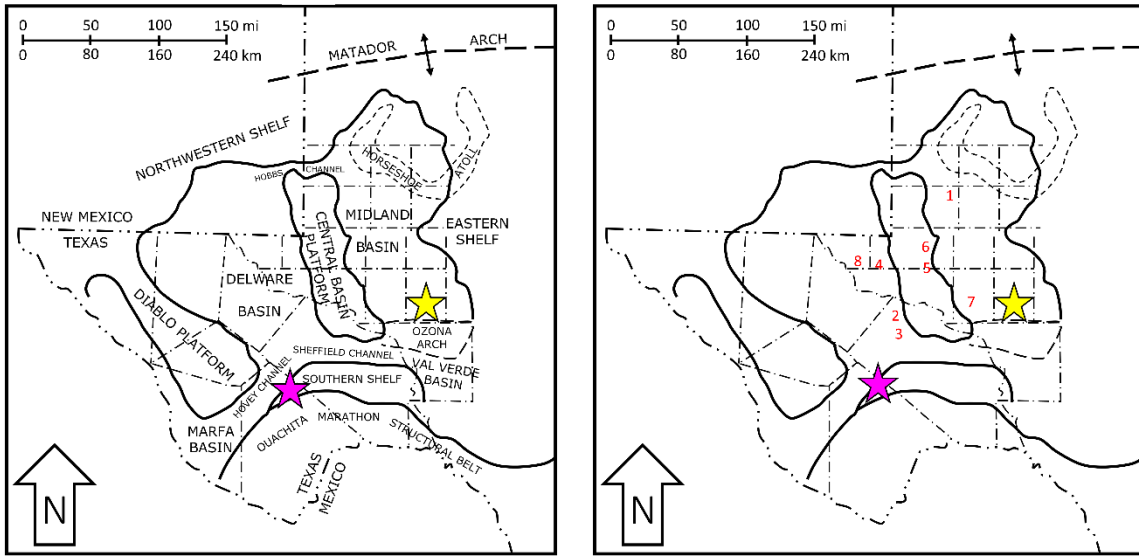


Figure II-1 (A) Map of the Permian Basin (left) with labelled Late Paleozoic features (modified from McKee and Oriel, 1967). The yellow star in Reagan County approximates the location of cored wells. The purple star in Brewster County approximates the location of the Wolf Camp Hills type outcrops. The red numbers (right) indicate a selection of historic Wolfcamp fields including the 1) Adair, 2) Coyanosa, 3) Gomez, 4) War Wink, 5) Fasken, 6) Parker, 7) Tippett, and 8) Morton fields.

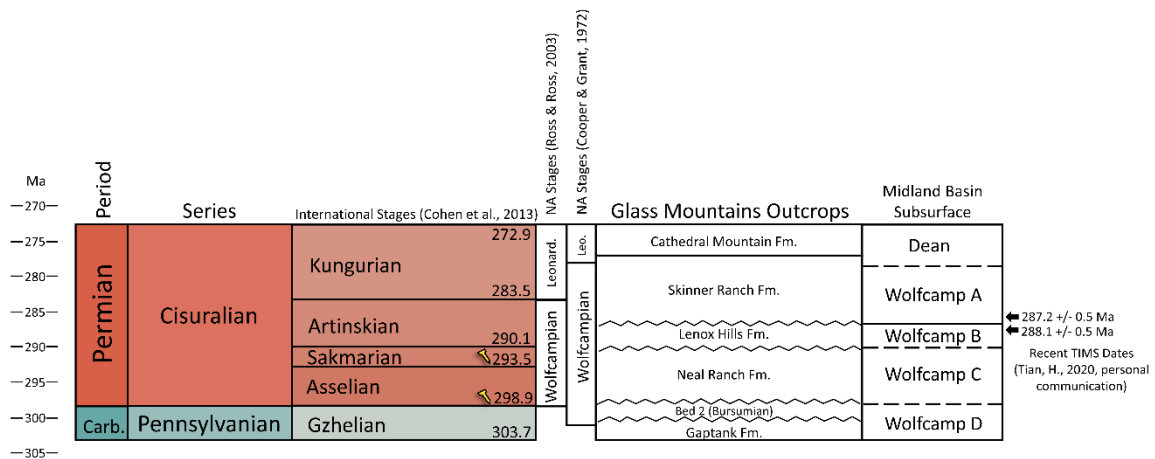


Figure II-1 (B) Stratigraphic chart for the Lower Permian Wolfcamp Group outcrops in the Glass Mountains, with correlative international stages and Midland Basin subsurface stratigraphy. Debate over biostratigraphic correlations necessitates absolute age dating; two recently determined dates (e.g. Thermal Ionization Mass Spectrometry) are shown at right from bentonite-derived zircon crystals near the Wolfcamp A/B boundary (Tian, H., 2020, personal communication). International stage ages from (Cohen et al., 2013; updated), note that the bases of both the Asselian and the Sakmarian have defined GSSPs.

Operators have used various schemes for sub-dividing the Wolfcamp Group in the subsurface using inconsistent top-down wireline log markers. The most commonly used scheme divides the Wolfcamp from the top down into the Wolfcamp A, B, C, and D (Figure II-1B), which are typically hundreds to thousands of feet thick (100's of meters). Unfortunately, the markers chosen as boundaries often vary within and among operators, as well as across the region (Figure II-2B). Additionally, some of the log markers may be lithostratigraphic boundaries that may not have any regional chronostratigraphic significance.

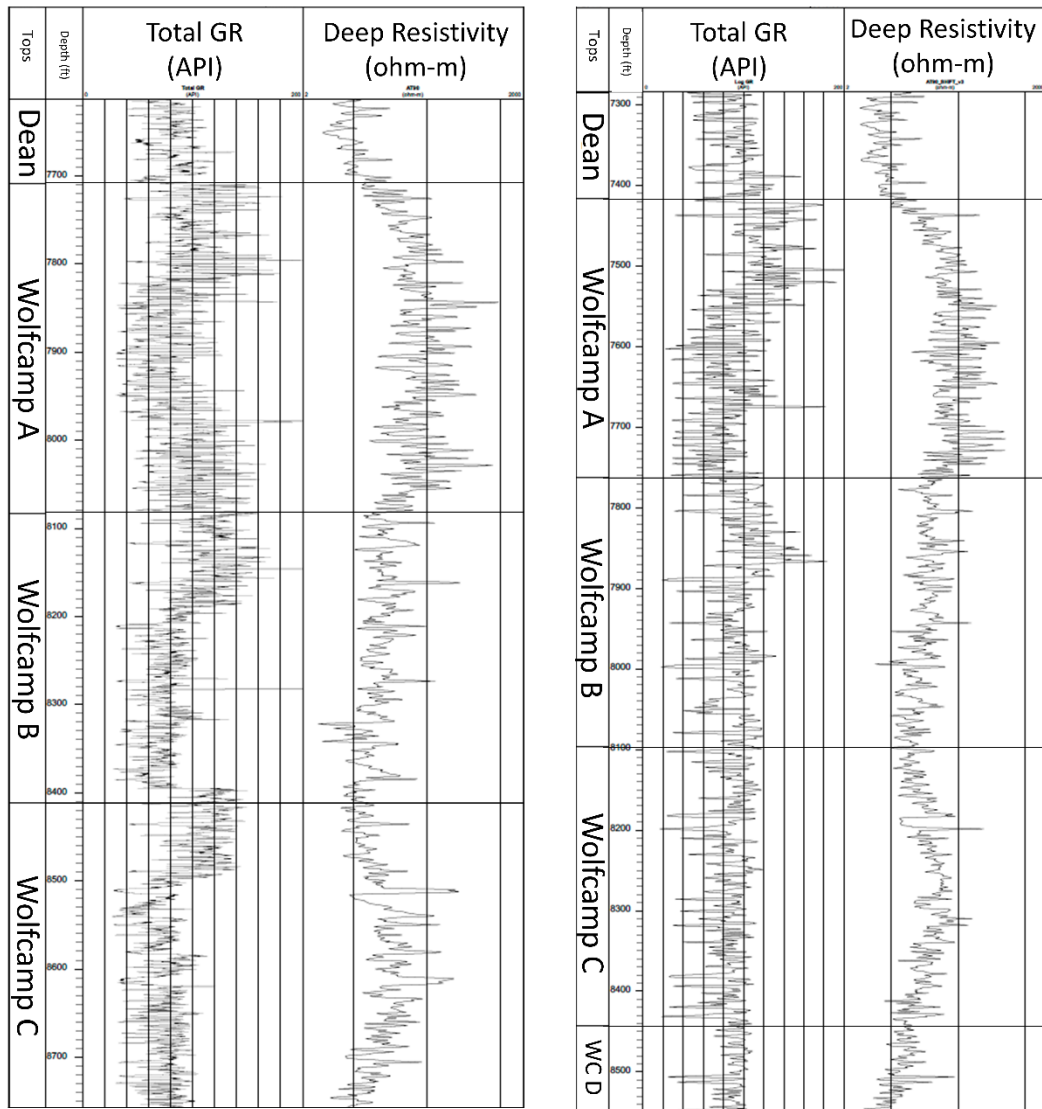


Figure II-2 Total gamma-ray and deep resistivity logs along cored intervals shown with subsurface names and core depth (core 1 on left; core 2 on right).

This research focused on a succession of basinal mudrock and carbonate facies through the Wolfcamp Group in two extended, continuous cores on state-owned University Lands acreage in southern Midland Basin, Reagan County, Texas (Figure 1). Potential stratigraphic implications of the resulting facies patterns also are also

discussed. The description of these cores includes high-resolution handheld XRF data which is crucial to understanding mudrock facies as well as providing organic and potential detrital indicators.

Geologic Setting and Context

The type section for the Wolfcamp Group, as defined in this paper, is in the Wolf Camp Hills (Udden, 1917), at the southern edge of the Glass Mountains in Brewster County, Texas (Figure II-1B). The type outcrops were later divided (Ross, 1959; Cooper and Grant, 1972) into multiple formations (e.g., Neal Ranch Formation, Lenox Hills Formation). The term “Wolfcampian” was also adapted to define the lowermost Permian Wolfcampian Series in North America (Ross, 1963; Childs, 1985). Strata mapped as the Wolfcamp Group in the subsurface became an important conventional reservoir in the subsurface beginning in the 1950’s. Early oil fields producing from the “Wolfcampian” in the Permian Basin include the Adair Field discovered in 1950 in Terry County, which was followed by several others (e.g. Fasken, Parker, Amacker-Tippett, and Morton fields) mostly exploiting carbonate platform and proximal slope facies in both Midland and Delaware Basin and their adjacent shelves (Figure II-1A). Later exploration focused on fields in deeper slope and toe-of-slope basinal carbonate facies, including Coyanosa, Gomez, and War Wink fields (Dutton et al., 2004) and lateral facies variation in the Wolfcamp Group was documented along the eastern margin of Midland Basin using tightly spaced electric logs (Van Sicken, 1958).

Traditionally, the base of the North American Wolfcampian (Permian) was placed at an unconformity in outcrop (Adams et al., 1939). With the adoption of the International Commission on Stratigraphy Geologic Time Scale (Cohen et al., 2013), the current base of the Asselian (Permian) is now placed chronostratigraphically higher, at what appears to be a maximum flooding surface. The traditional North American base Wolfcampian (Permian) placement now resides in the Uppermost Pennsylvanian (Lucas, 2013).

In the subsurface the Wolfcamp Group has traditionally been interpreted as being Lower Permian (Böse, 1917; King, 1931; Ross, 1959). However, recent subsurface biostratigraphic work (Kohn, 2016; Barrick and Wahlman, 2019) suggests that some of the basal portions of the Wolfcamp Group, as presently mapped in the subsurface by some operators, are also Latest Pennsylvanian (North American Virgilian Stage), or equivalent to Gzhelian Stage (Aretz et al., 2020), based on the latest version of the geologic time scale (Cohen et al., 2013).

Additionally, there is no consensus as to where to carry the top of the Wolfcamp Group (base Leonard Group), at their type localities along the Glass Mountains. Ross and Ross (2003) place the base of the Leonardian at the base of the Skinner Ranch Formation (Figure II-1B). This interpretation places the base of the North American Leonardian Stage at or near the base of the international Kungurian Stage (Figure II-1B). However, Cooper and Grant (1972) place the base of the Leonardian at the base of the Cathedral Mountain Formation (Figure II-1B). This interpretation places the base of the North American Leonardian Stage within the middle Kungurian (Figure II-1B).

In the subsurface, the top of the Wolfcamp Group is likely Kungurian in age based on biostratigraphic work on the mudstones immediately below the basinal Dean Sandstone, towards the top of an interval known informally as the “Wolfcamp A” (Wilde, 1975, 1990; Mazzullo et al., 1987; Reid et al., 1988). Preliminary results of Thermal Ionization Mass Spectrometry (TIMS) geochronology of Upper Wolfcamp zircons (Tian, 2020, personal communication) suggest that bentonites dated from the lowermost Wolfcamp A and uppermost B are Artinskian (287 and 288 Ma, respectively).

This article follows the traditional subsurface definition of the Wolfcamp Group in the Midland Basin. Strata situated between the Dean Formation (above) and the Cisco Group (below) are mapped as the Wolfcamp Group. Future work of the Texas A&M Unconventional Reservoir & Outcrop (TAMU UROC) group will focus on tying the subsurface and surface stratigraphy of the Wolfcamp Group.

Finally, previous sequence stratigraphic interpretations of Wolfcamp Group stratigraphy largely focused on the proximal stratigraphy, as occurs on the Central Basin Platform (Saller et al., 1993; Ross and Ross, 2003). Newer work attempts to tease out subtle changes in relative accommodation in the basin (Bohacs and Schwalbach, 1992) as they relate to the occurrence of calciturbidites and debrites (Thompson et al., 2018). Specifically, calcidebrites were interpreted as a possible response to drops in relative sea level specifically for the Wolfcamp Group (Thompson et al., 2018) and in other settings (Reijmer et al., 2012). Calciturbidites too, were interpreted as potentially occurring more frequently during higher relative sea levels during the Wolfcampian (Thompson et al.,

2018). Other workers have focused on the distribution of lithofacies as a function of depositional processes type on the basin floor, while deemphasizing the role of relative sea level (Kvale et al., 2020).

Data and Methodology

Core data (Figure II-2) includes two nearly continuous cores (core 1 is 1145 ft [349 m] in length and core 2 is 1263 ft [385 m] in length) in Reagan County, in the southern Midland Basin just north of the Ozona Arch (Figure II-1A), a paleo-high during deposition (Flawn et al., 1961). Descriptions of the core slabs were performed bed-by-bed and sedimentary processes were interpreted at the log-scale for each bed. Additional data provided by the operators include core photographs under normal and ultraviolet light, a comprehensive well log suite from each borehole and 210 Total Organic Carbon (LECO TOC) measurements (variable spacing, intervals averaging 15 ft or 5 m) from W.D. Van Gonten Laboratories. For this study XRF data was measured at the bed scale, resulting in a total of 1149 XRF measurements taken every foot (30 cm) on core 1 and 2380 XRF measurements on core 2 taken approximately every 0.5 feet (15 cm). Major and minor elements were measured using a hand-held Bruker Tracer III for core 1, and an Olympus Delta Professional for core 2. All photo, log, XRF, and geochemical data and descriptions are integrated in the core logging software EasyCore. Sequence stratigraphic surfaces are interpreted directly on the core slab, as well as from lithofacies trends and the logs.

Results

Core Descriptions, X-Ray Fluorescence Data, and Lithofacies

The two cores record 2,408 feet (734 m) of described core, of which 2,179 feet (664 m) belong to the Wolfcamp Group (Figure II-2). Detailed core descriptions focus on bed and well log-scale features, facies analysis, and 3,529 original XRF measurements (Figure II-3).

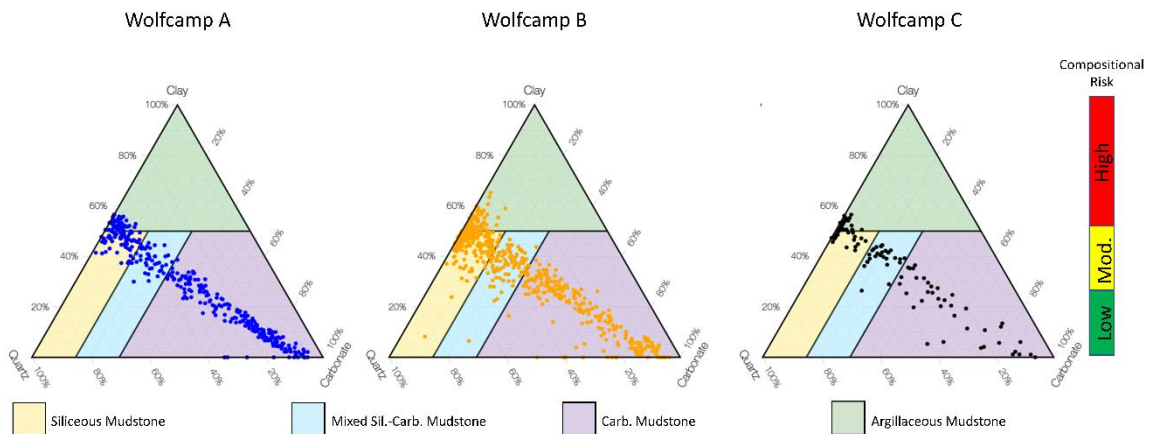


Figure II-3 (A) All XRF data points in the Wolfcamp Group (n=1029) from core 1 are plotted in ternary diagrams (for each sub-unit) with compositional (geomechanical) risk as a function of clay content (*sensu* Donovan et al., 2017).

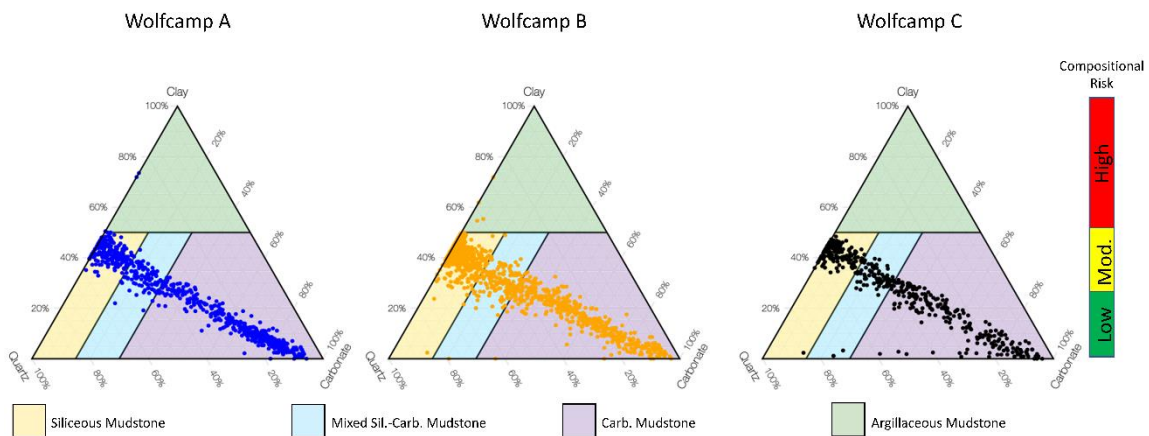


Figure II-3 (B) All XRF data points in the Wolfcamp Group (n=2182) from core 2 are plotted in ternary diagrams (for each sub-unit) with compositional (geomechanical) risk as a function of clay content (*sensu* Donovan et al., 2017).

Aluminum, calcium and silicon are interpreted as effective proxies for clay, carbonate and silicate mineral content, respectively, by comparing original XRF measurements with 74 provided X-Ray Diffraction (XRD) measurements through Wolfcamp Group from core 2 (Figure II-4). XRF compositional data through the Wolfcamp Group in core 1 and 2 (n = 1029 and 2182, respectively) are applied to Carbonate-Clay-Quartz (CCQ) Ternary Diagrams (Evenick, 2016; Donovan et al., 2017).

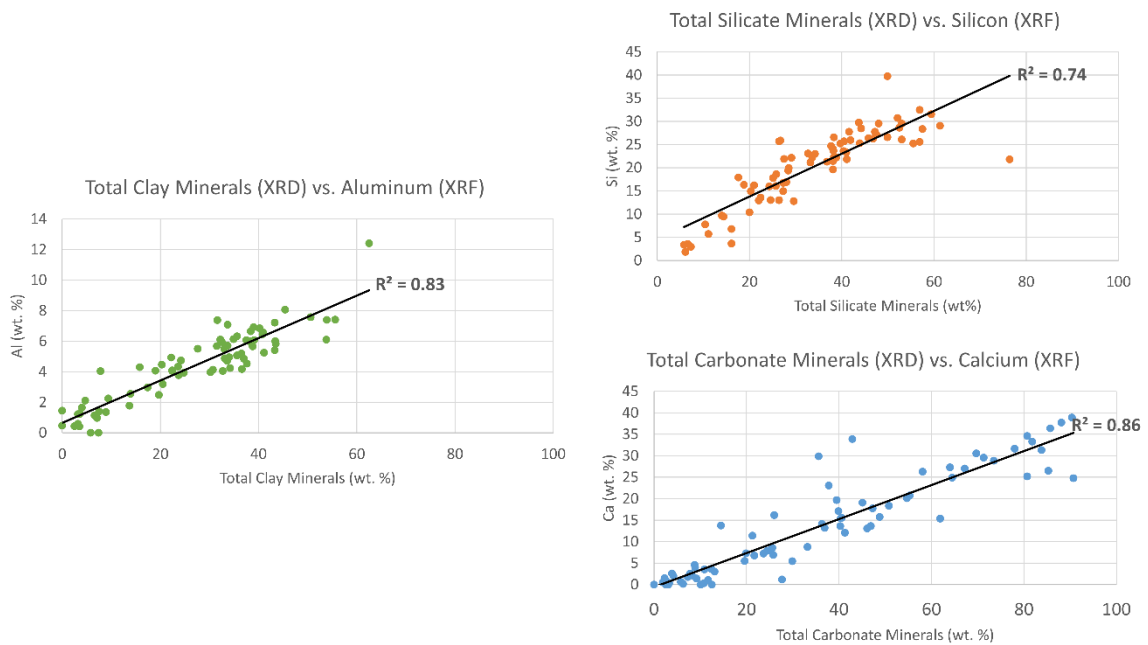


Figure II-4 XRF elemental data for aluminum, silicon and calcium are shown to be effective proxies for clay, silicate and carbonate minerals as shown by cross-plots with XRD.

The dominant lithologies include various limestone beds, typically two feet thick or less, that often are normally graded, and interbedded with high gamma-ray mudstone beds (Figure II-5). The four mudstone lithofacies are difficult to consistently distinguish

in core visually but are readily identified with XRF data (Figure II-5). Bioturbation is common in the overlying Dean Formation but rarely visible at core-scale in the Wolfcamp Group. The most common sedimentary structures include massive bedding, planar lamination, and low-angle asymmetric ripples (Figure II-6). Crinoid, fusulinid, and brachiopod skeletal fragments are common grain types in the limestone beds (Figure II-6). Fossilized plant material (identified as the terrestrial peltasperm *Germaropteris martinsii*) also occurs in the Wolfcamp A of core 1; this is consistent with work finding increased abundance of terrestrial input, and *Germaropteris martinsii* specifically, in the Wolfcamp A and B (Baumgardner et al., 2016; Kvale et al., 2020 and others). Large-scale (10's to 100's of feet) chemostratigraphic variations are delineated in the XRF data, including trends in calcium, silica, aluminum, nickel, molybdenum, magnesium and other elements (Figure II-7).

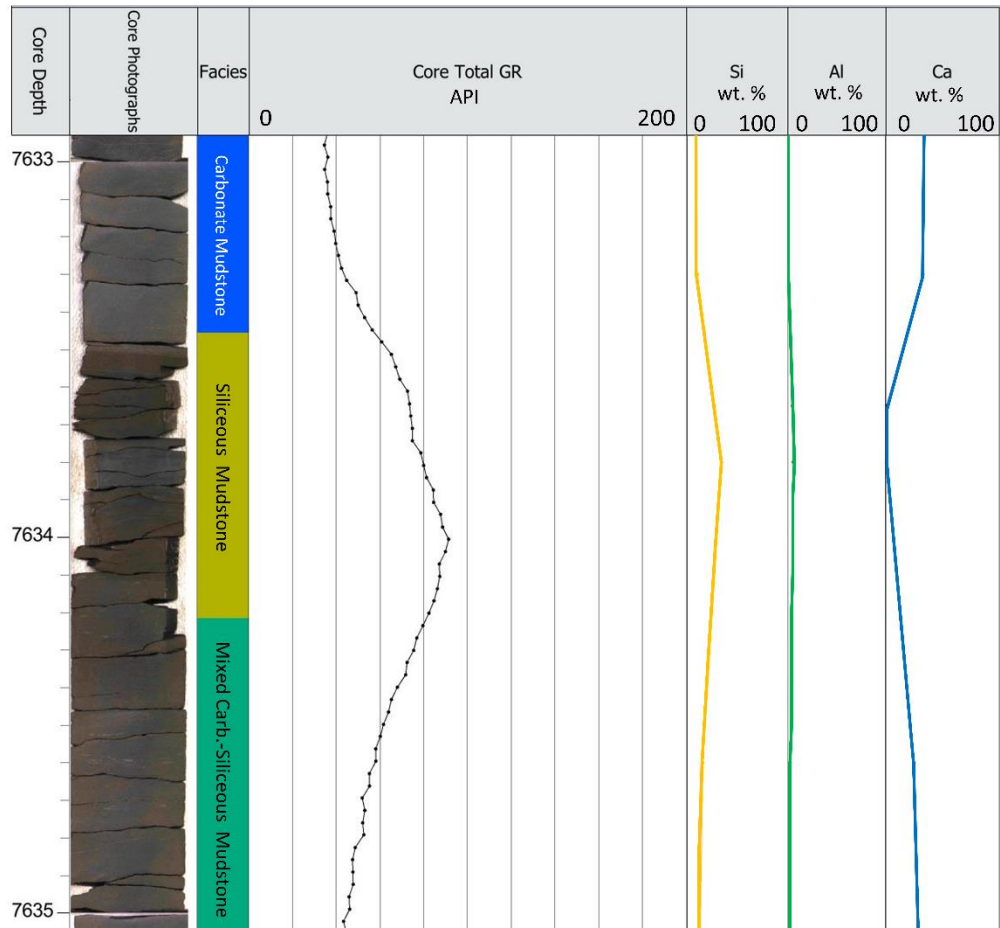


Figure II-5: Three adjacent mudstone lithofacies from core 2, towards base of Wolfcamp A. Some color differences and gamma-ray differences between mudstone lithofacies but XRF clearly distinguishes mudstone composition (note that lithofacies 10, the argillaceous mudstone lithofacies, is the most rare mudstone lithofacies and not shown here).

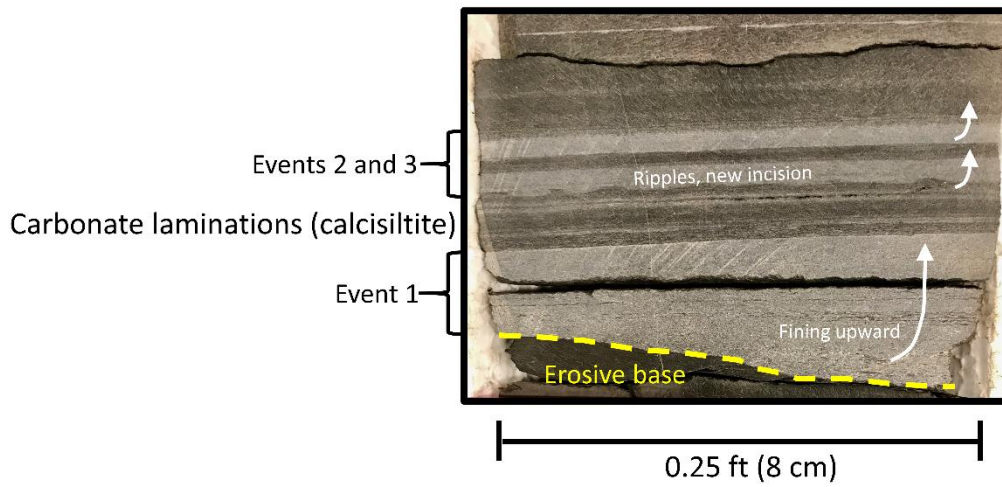


Figure II-6 (A) Typical fining upward carbonate beds shown, interpreted as calciturbidites (core 2, 8401.5 ft).

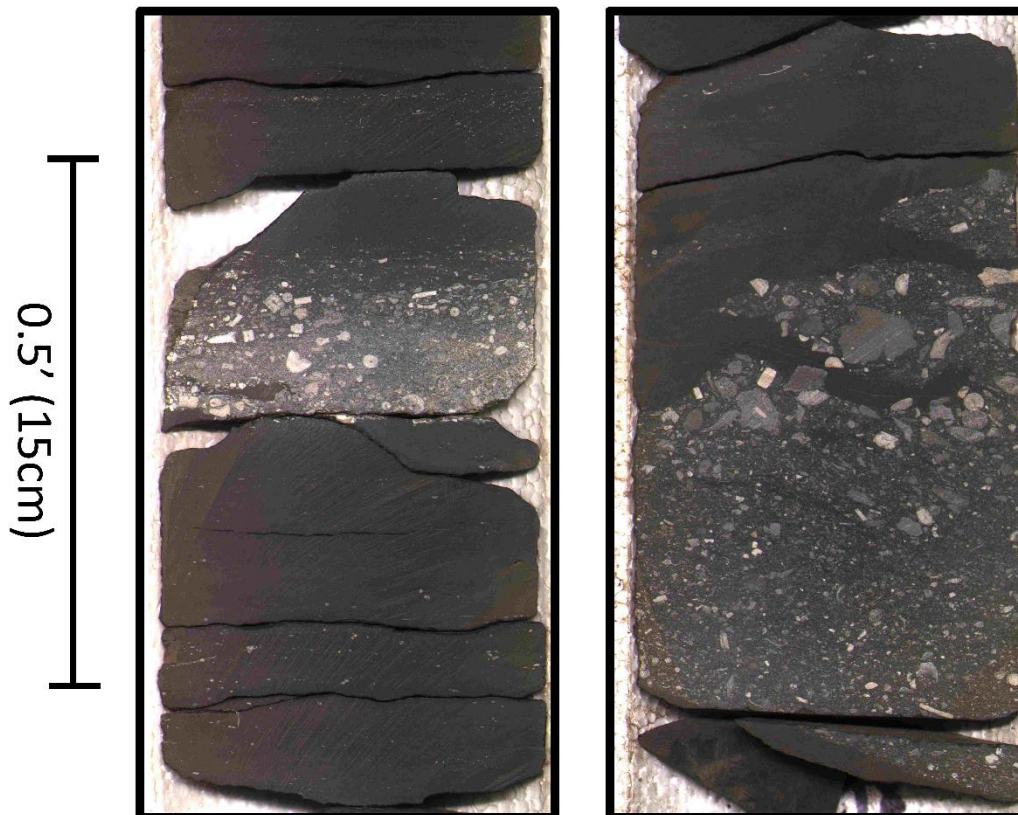


Figure II-6 (B) Coarse (>2 mm) carbonate grains more common in Wolfcamp C, D and lowermost Wolfcamp B. A typical coarse crinoidal fining-upward event bed is shown (left,

core 2 – 8046 ft) and a typical coarse grained, coarsening-upward and deformed event bed (right, core 2 – 8278 ft) is interpreted as a debrite.

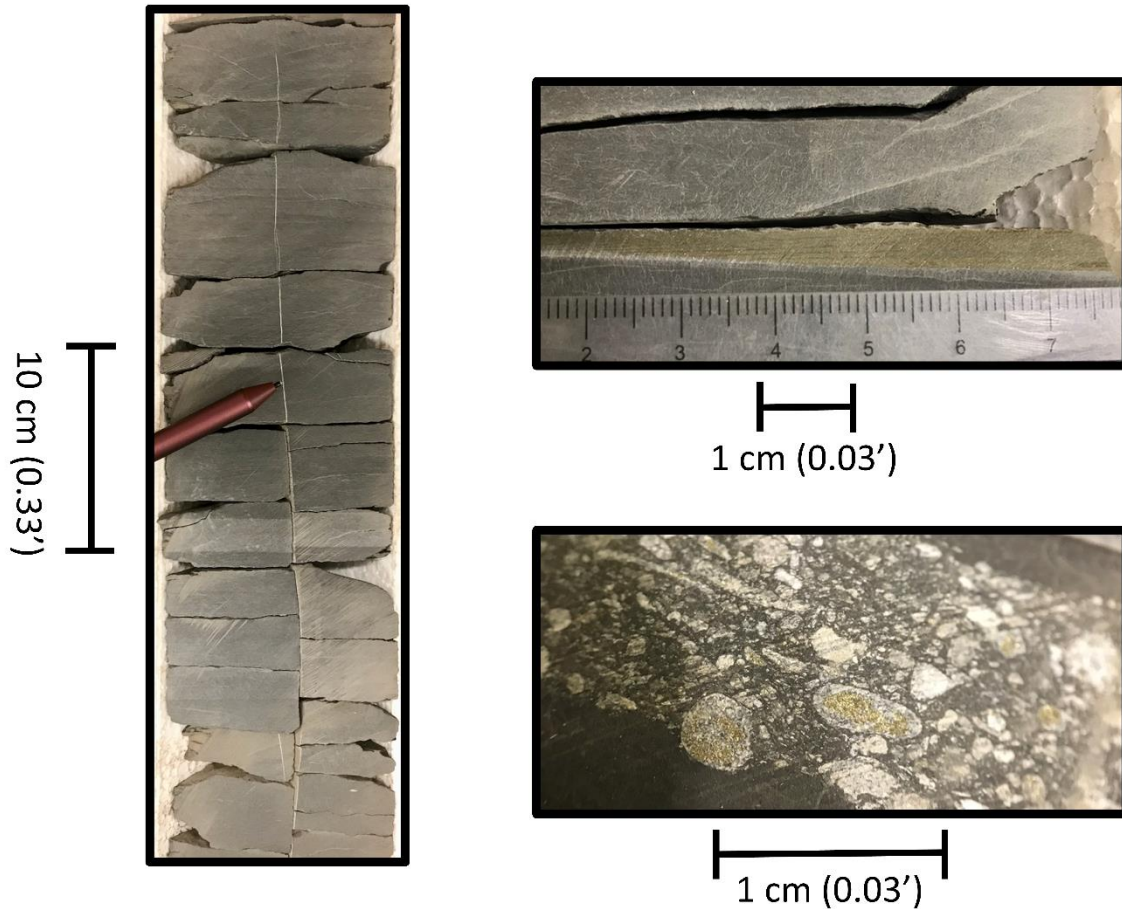


Figure II-6 (C) Other sedimentary features in cores 1 and 2. Left, healed fracture (core 1 – 8463 ft). Upper right, pyritized laminations (core 2 – 8030 ft). Lower right, pyritized fusulinid fragments (core 2 – 8051 ft). Pyritization is common in siliceous mudstone beds.

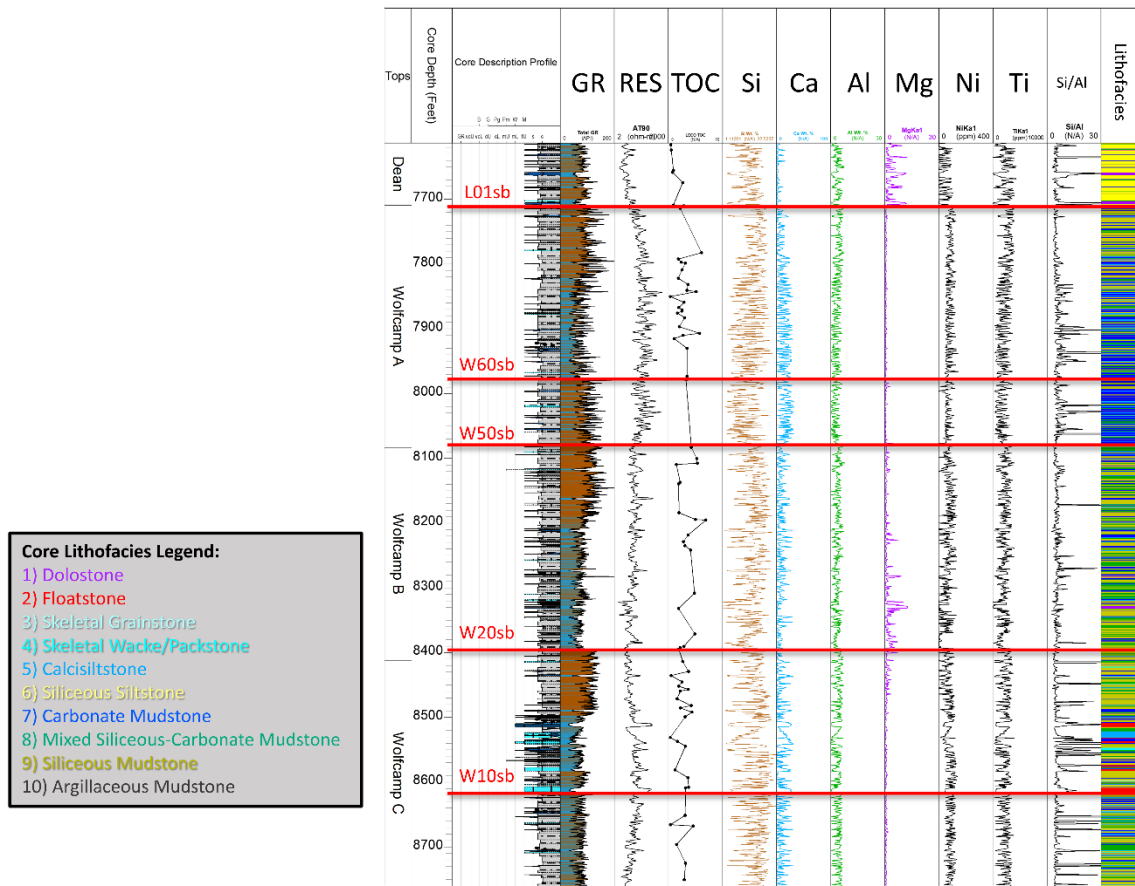


Figure II-7 (A) Core 1 with key well logs, tops, XRF elements, and lithofacies. From left to right, columns include subsurface tops, core depth, simplified core description, total gamma-ray (GR) where <50 API is blue, >100 API is brown, 50-100 API is transitional, deep resistivity (RES), LECO TOC (TOC). Columns 7 through 13 are key XRF elemental data, including silicon (Si), calcium (Ca), aluminum (Al), magnesium (Mg), nickel (Ni), titanium (Ti), and silicon to aluminum ratio (Si/Al). Column 14 shows lithofacies, which are color-coded per the legend. Sequence boundaries shown with red horizontal lines.

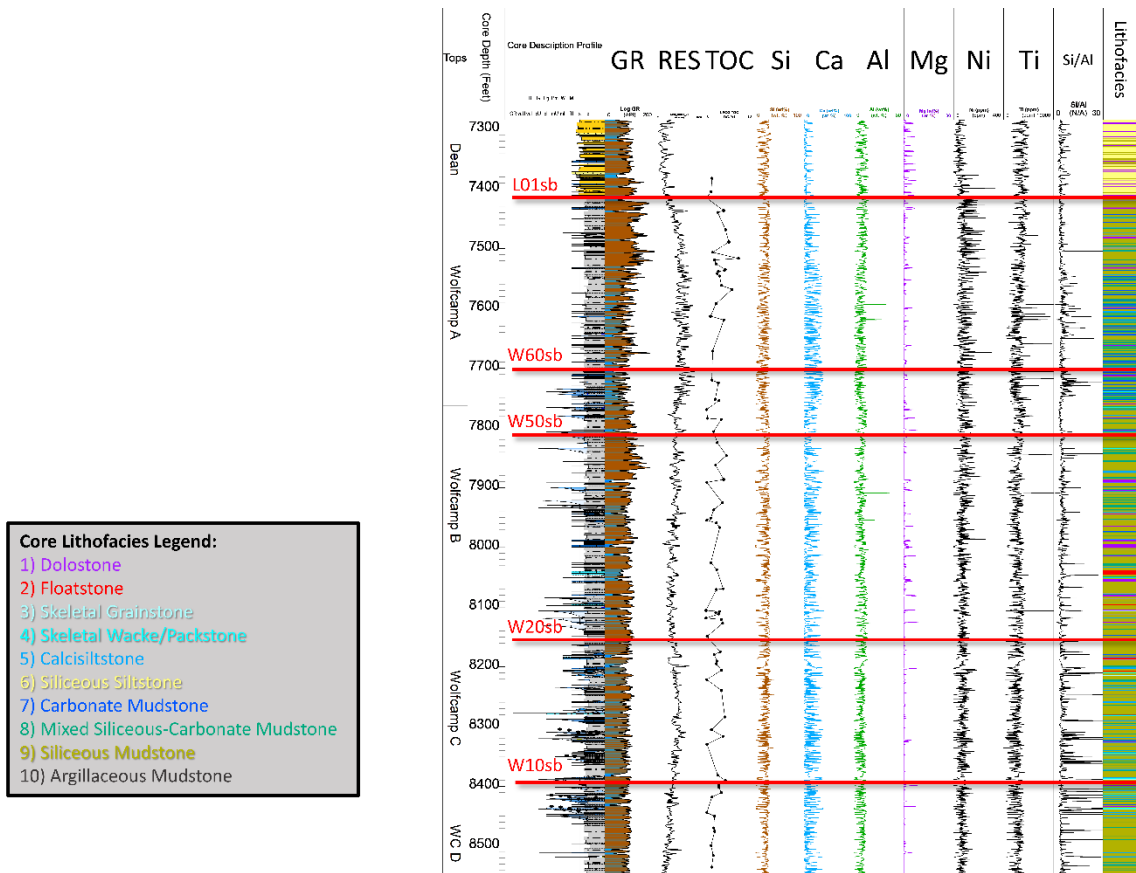


Figure II-7 (B) Core 2 with key well logs, tops, XRF elements, and lithofacies. From left to right, columns include subsurface tops, core depth, simplified core description, total gamma ray (GR) where <50 API is blue, >100 API is brown, 50-100 API is transitional, deep resistivity (RES), LECO TOC (TOC). Columns 7 through 13 are key XRF elemental data, including silicon (Si), calcium (Ca), aluminum (Al), magnesium (Mg), nickel (Ni), titanium (Ti), and silicon to aluminum ratio (Si/Al). Column 14 shows lithofacies, which are color-coded per the legend. Sequence boundaries shown with red horizontal lines.

Ten lithofacies (Table 1) are proposed for the Wolfcamp Group strata in these cores. They include, 1) dolostone, 2) floatstone, 3) graded skeletal grainstone, 4) graded skeletal wackestone and packstone, 5) graded calcisiltstone, 6) siliceous siltstone, 7) carbonate mudstone, 8) mixed siliceous-carbonate mudstone, 9) siliceous mudstone, and 10) argillaceous mudstone. Mudstone grain size is here defined as grains less than or

equal to 16 microns in diameter (Donovan et al., 2017) thereby including clay and fine silt grain sizes and excluding medium to coarse silt grain sizes. Other workers (e.g., Dunham, 1962; Wright, 1992) have used grain size cutoffs between 20 and 62 microns in diameter as the upper limit for mud grain sizes and the decision to exclude medium and coarse silt from mudstone grain sizes was used to enable greater differentiation within fine-grained sedimentary successions. For additional context, the floatstone facies in this paper is defined as being supported by a generally muddy matrix with gravel-sized skeletal grains and could be alternatively termed a “coarse-grained wackestone”.

Name	Photo	Description	Process	Name	Photo	Description	Process
Dolostone		Light to medium grey, occasional blue-grey color. Occasional faint parallel laminations, often massive. Individual grains rarely visible. Upper and lower contacts often diffuse or gradational. Often corresponds to highest RHOB values. XRF shows elevated magnesium values. XRD data show primary minerals are dolomite and ankerite (XRD data shows up to 80% dolomite and iron dolomite/ankerite by weight).	Burial Dolomitization (sensu Mazzullo, 1994)	Siliceous Siltstone		Light to medium brown. Lighter brown intervals contain more visible grains (silt) and are interbedded with darker brown mudstone beds. Many intervals show mottled textures and pervasive horizontal burrowing with little bedding. Planar to inclined lamina are also common. Some inclined, asymmetric ripples. Laminations often discontinuous. XRD data show quartz and clays as the dominant constituents (44 wt % and 33 wt % of core 2, respectively). Dominant lithofacies in Dean Formation rare in Wolfcamp Group. Silt grain sizes are primarily medium and coarse silt with rare fine sand.	Sediment Gravity Flows (Proximal or Medial)
Floatstone		Least common lithofacies. Poorly sorted, with inconsistent grading. Skeletal bioclasts are dominant grain type. 10 to 50% of grains exceed 2mm in diameter (granules and pebbles, no cobbles or boulders). Matrix supported. Matrix grains are typically mud-sized, rarely coarse silt to sand-sized. Coarse grains are skeletal (primarily disarticulated crinoid fragments). Mud clasts also present. Soft sediment deformation and convolute bedding. Lower contacts are sub-horizontal and sharp. Intervals meet criteria by Embrey and Kloven (1972).	Debris Flows, Slumps, MTDs	Carbonate Mudstone		Light to dark grey. Often massive or structure-less. Rare, faint planar laminations. Upper and lower contacts often gradational. Upper contacts often grade into mixed-siliceous/carbonate mudstone lithofacies or siliceous mudstone lithofacies. XRD data show calcite is the primary mineral (85 wt % in core 2). Mud grain sizes are defined here as fine silt and clay (16 microns and under) to separate medium and coarse silt lithofacies. Carbonate content ranges from 30 to 90% by weight.	Sediment Gravity Flows (possibly Low-Density Turbidites)
Graded Skeletal Grainstone		Rare relative to skeletal wackestone/packstone beds. Typically very thin (less than .5') and sharp based. Commonly normally graded into overlying skeletal packstone or calcisiltite beds. Grains are skeletal, most often crinoidal fragments with secondary foram and unidentifiable populations. Rare asymmetric ripples are present. Skeletal grains are sand-sized (.065 to 2 mm).	Sediment Gravity Flows (possible high-density turbidites sensu Lowe, 1982)	Mixed Silic.-Carb. Mudstone		Often medium brown to medium grey, with gradational upper and lower contacts. Often overlain by siliceous mudstone lithofacies. Occasional mottled texture and possible burrowing. Rare phosphate nodules and pyritized skeletal fragments. Calcite is the dominant mineral (45 wt % in core 2) but with significant quartz (24 wt % in core 2). Mud grain sizes are defined here as fine silt and clay (16 microns and under) to separate medium and coarse silt lithofacies. Carbonate content ranges from 15 to 30%.	Sediment Gravity Flows (possibly Low-Density Turbidites)
Graded Skeletal Wacke/Packstone		Common carbonate lithofacies showing inconsistent grading. Grains are skeletal and mostly sand-sized. Where identifiable, crinoidal fragments appear to be common. Some intervals contain up to 10% granule-sized grains. Typically matrix supported with rare grain support. Often sharp-based with gradational upper contacts. Calcite is the dominant mineral (87 wt % in core 2). Skeletal grains are sand-sized (.065 to 2 mm).	Sediment Gravity Flows	Siliceous Mudstone		Most common Wolfcamp lithofacies. Medium to dark brown. Common pyritized laminations, skeletal fragments, and phosphate nodules. Rare, faint laminations present but massive texture is dominant. Mottled textures are rare. Burrow traces are rarely visible at core (macro) scale. XRD data show quartz is dominant but with a significant clay component (38 wt % for quartz, and 37 wt % for all clay minerals in core 2). Carbonate content ranges from 0 to 15%. Mud grain sizes are defined here as fine silt and clay (16 microns and under) to separate medium and coarse silt lithofacies.	Background Sedimentation (pelagic and hemipelagic plumes, algal blooms and marine snow)
Graded Calcisiltstone		Typically off-white to light grey, with some medium grey intervals. Planar laminations are common, often faint. Some laminations are discontinuous. Grains are primarily medium and coarse silt (16 to 62.5 microns). Lower contacts are sharp, often horizontal to sub-horizontal. Upper contacts are often gradational into various mudstone facies. Calcite is the primary mineral (53 wt % in core 2) with a secondary quartz component (22 wt % in core 2). Grains are medium-coarse silt (16-62.5 microns).	Sediment Gravity Flows	Argillaceous Mudstone		Mudstone with >50% clay mineral content by weight. Least common mudstone lithofacies. Light to medium grey. Faint laminations present, but massive bedding dominates. Upper contacts often sharp but lower contacts often gradational. Burrow traces are rare to absent. Difficult to distinguish visually from other mudstone lithofacies. Associated with highest GR values of all lithofacies. Molybdenum and TOC values lower than siliceous mudstone. XRF data show significant silicon content but more aluminum than siliceous mudstone.	Background Sedimentation (pelagic and hemipelagic plumes, more distal fluvial influence than siliceous mudstone)

Table II-1 (A) Lithofacies with photos, descriptions and interpreted processes. Note that all pictured cores are 0.3 ft (9 cm) wide.

	Log Indicators		Occurrence		Reservoir Properties		Selection of XRF Elemental Data					
Lithofacies	Avg. Total GR (API)	Avg. RHOB (g/cm ³)	Avg. Lithofacies Thickness (ft)	Proportion of Lithofacies (%)	Avg. Effective Porosity (%)	Avg. LECO TOC (wt. %)	Avg. Si (wt. %)	Avg. Ca (wt. %)	Avg. Al (wt. %)	Avg. Ti (ppm)	Avg. Mo (ppm)	Avg. Si/Al Ratio
Dolostone	57	2.64	1.6	2.6	5.7	1.10	5	2	0	260	5	25.1
Floatstone	53	2.61	1.3	1.9	3.4	2.01	15	20	2	1614	3	8.2
Skeletal Grainstone	46	2.60	0.3	1.2	4.5	No Data	7	33	0	980	3	24.5
Skeletal Wacke/Packstone	53	2.57	0.5	2.8	4.9	0.33	12	27	1	1038	2	23.8
Calcisiltstone	62	2.58	0.6	16.1	4.8	1.86	13	24	2	1507	4	12.2
Siliceous Siltstone	87	2.59	3.4	2.5	7.0	1.08	20	4	4	3781	5	5.9
Carbonate Mudstone	76	2.59	1.0	16.4	5.1	1.84	12	18	2	1355	5	9.1
Mixed Silc.-Carb. Mudstone	79	2.55	1.0	19.2	6.0	2.92	18	15	3	2362	8	6.3
Siliceous Mudstone	89	2.54	1.8	33.5	6.5	3.24	26	4	6	3223	23	5.2
Argillaceous Mudstone	103	2.54	0.8	3.8	6.7	0.03	24	1	8	4174	12	3.5

Table II-1 (B) Lithofacies with log indicators (average total GR, RHOB), lithofacies occurrences (average thickness, relative proportion of total lithofacies), reservoir properties (average effective porosities & LECO TOC weight percent), selection of key elemental data (average concentration of silicon, calcium, aluminum, titanium, molybdenum, and silicon/aluminum ratio).

The resulting facies scheme is compatible with, but more detailed than, published petrophysically-determined log facies (Casey et al., 2020) which may distinguish six or seven analogous facies using standard petrophysical suites (gamma-ray, resistivity, sonic, density & neutron logs, or “quad combos”, in addition to photoelectric factor or PEF logs). Petrophysically-determined facies schemes can struggle to differentiate carbonate grain sizes (Casey et al., 2020), thus potentially lumping core lithofacies 3, 4, and 5 (skeletal grainstone, skeletal wacke/packstone, and calcisiltstone). Analysis of well logs alone may also be insufficient to detect subtle compositional variations in mudstones detected by XRF data in core, potentially lumping core lithofacies 8 (mixed siliceous-carbonate mudstone) with end-member carbonate or siliceous mudstone facies (core lithofacies 7 and 9, respectively).

Additionally, both cores record several instances of a sudden upward transition from siliceous mudstone-prone intervals (Facies 6) to various carbonate facies (especially Facies 2 and 7), these intervals are also seen on total gamma-ray curves (Figure II-2) where a sharp (20 to 80 API unit) upward drop in gamma-ray values is observed, including at approximately 7985’, 8085’, 8400’, and 8615’ in Core 1 (Figure II-2).

XRF-based Correlations with Organofacies

Mudstone lithofacies also are correlated with organofacies and with source rock compositional risk (Figure II-3). There are many risk elements associated with source rock quality, including TOC content, maturity, source rock thickness, pressure and

structural complexity (Donovan et al., 2017). Compositional risk is defined as a function of clay content where higher clay contents are associated with less favorable geomechanical properties for the purposes of hydraulic fracturing (Evenick, 2016; Donovan et al., 2017). Mudstone lithofacies 7) carbonate mudstone, 8) mixed siliceous-carbonate mudstone, and 9) siliceous mudstone are all common in the Wolfcamp Group and are correlated with organofacies A and B (Figure II-3), which are derived from oil-prone marine algae (equivalent to type II/IIS organic matter types by IFP classification). This applies for all tested Wolfcamp Group sub-divisions, Wolfcamp A through Wolfcamp C. Lithofacies 10), the argillaceous mudstone lithofacies, is the least common mudstone type in the Wolfcamp Group, and is correlated with gas-prone organofacies D/E/F (equivalent to type III/IV organic matter types by IFP classification). Organofacies A and B are oil-prone and associated with low to moderate interpreted compositional risk, wherein source rocks contain less than 50 wt. % clay and are geomechanically favorable source rocks (i.e., less ductile and more conducive to hydraulic fracturing). Conversely, organofacies D, E and F are associated with clay content above 50 wt. %, and therefore have interpreted high compositional risk (Donovan et al., 2017). Finally, given the dominance of organofacies A and B, the distribution of organic content throughout the Wolfcamp Group must be controlled by variations in both marine algal productivity and preservation. Resulting sequence stratigraphic models should account for this.

Discussion

Depositional Models and Sequence Stratigraphy

The sequence stratigraphic interpretation of this interval is based on large-scale facies trends, XRF derived elemental trends and well log interpretations. Within this framework, sharp drops in gamma-ray values (20-80 API units) associated with an influx of carbonate facies (e.g., Figure II-7A at approximately 7980', 8,400', and 8,620') are interpreted as potential sequence boundaries. This interpretation is made because the higher gamma-ray mudstone beds (Siliceous Mudstone, Facies 9) record a lower energy depositional environment and the sudden shift to a lower gamma-ray facies reflects a rapid basinward shift in facies where toe-of-slope carbonate sediment gravity flows (Facies 1 through 5, and Facies 7) cap siliceous mudstone (Facies 9). Conversely, the siliceous mudstone deposits in the basin would reflect quiescent highstand sedimentation because the carbonate sedimentary system (the autogenic factory and its allochthonous downslope deposits) had shifted away from the center of the basin during relative sea level highs (Figure II-8).

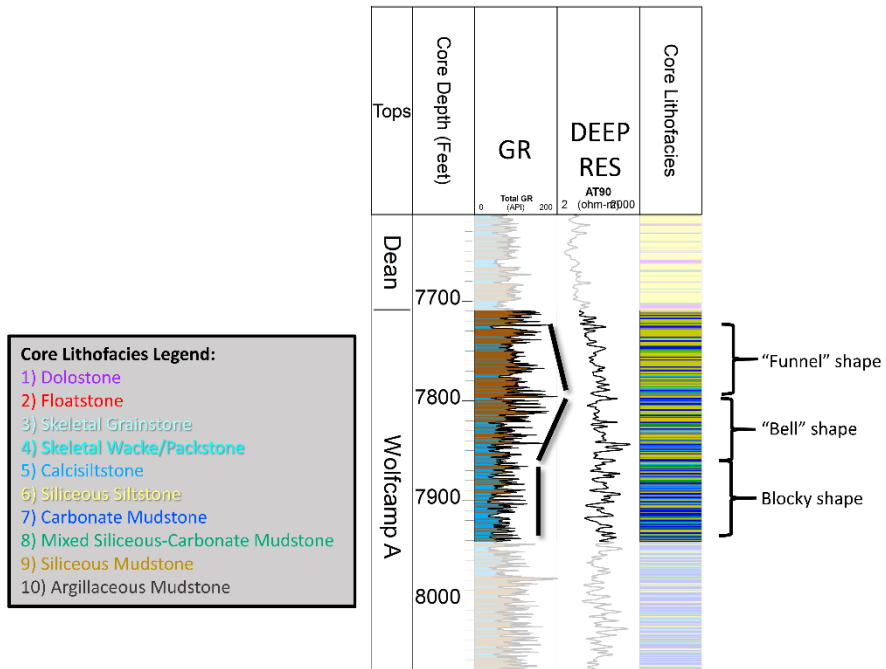


Figure II-8 (A) An idealized complete sequence in Wolfcamp A, core 1, with lithofacies and log shape interpretation. Note transition from carbonate to siliceous mudstone.

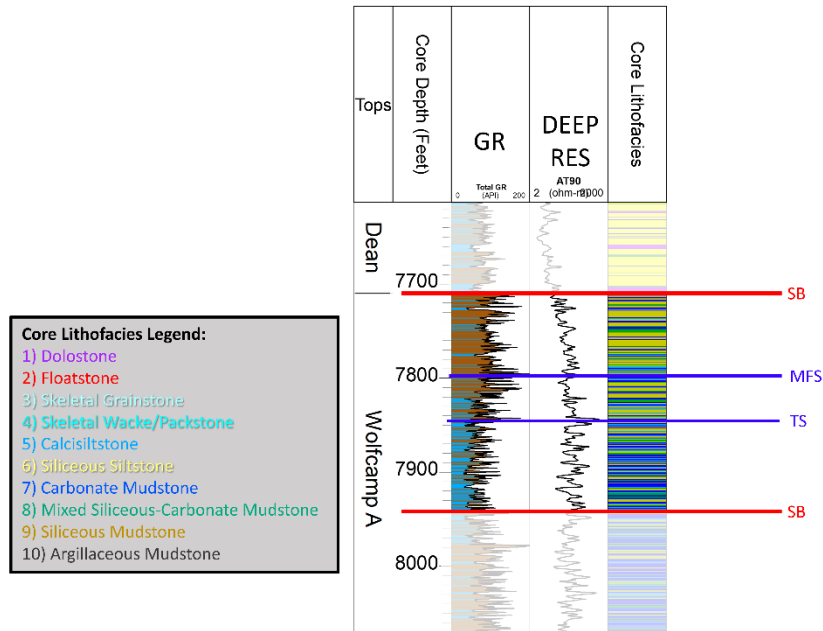


Figure II-8 (B) In this interpretation the “blocky” interval is interpreted as the lowstand system tract, the “bell” shaped interval is interpreted as the transgressive system tract, and the “funnel” interval is interpreted as highstand system tract.

As such, five sequence boundaries (SB) are interpreted in each core (Figure II-9) at similar places through the Wolfcamp Group stratigraphy, indicating a correlation between the two cores. Four Wolfcampian depositional sequences are informally named in ascending order, including W10, W20, W50 and W60. In this naming scheme the base of depositional sequence W50 would be the W50 sequence boundary, identified as a candidate for a basinal expression of the mid-Wolfcamp unconformity (Ross, 1963; Candelaria et al., 1992, and others) identified in proximal Wolfcampian strata. These sequence boundaries can be identified in well logs by sharp drops in gamma-ray values, interpreted to represent a sudden change in facies from high gamma-ray pelagic fallout

to low gamma-ray lowstand fan. The distribution of lithofacies within each interpreted sequence and across interpreted sequence boundaries show distinct patterns.

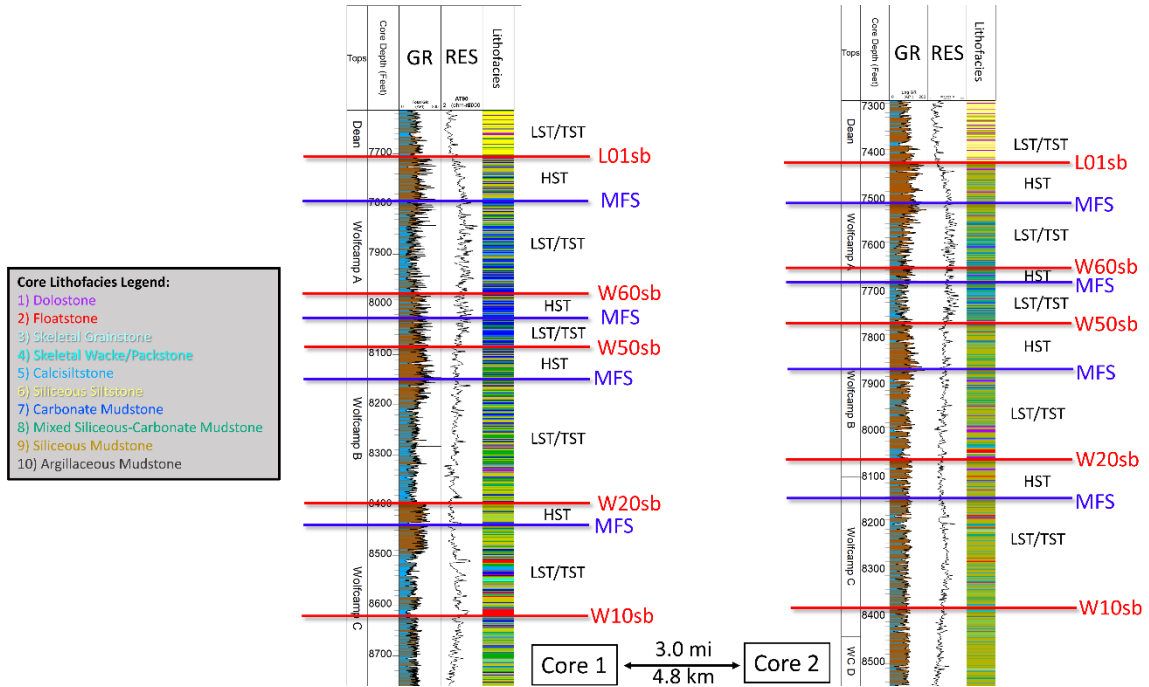


Figure II-9 (A) Core 1 and 2 with complete stratigraphic interpretations using the proposed carbonate-rich lowstand fan model. Sequence boundaries shown with red horizontal lines while each blue line represents a maximum flooding surface (MFS).

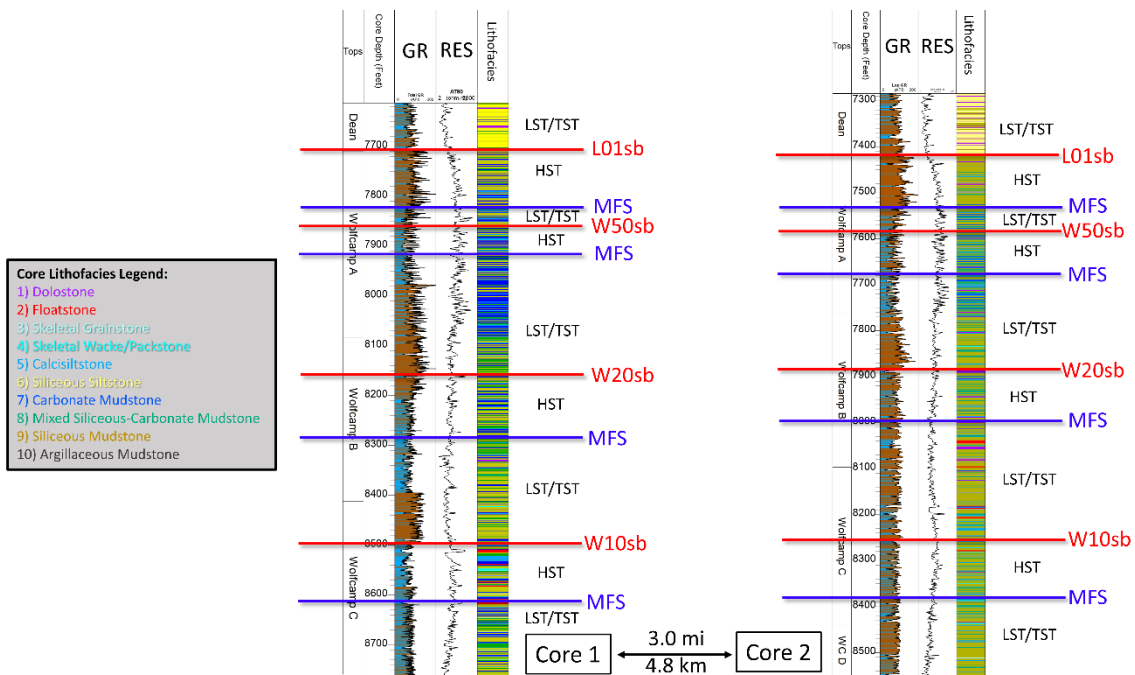


Figure II-9 (B) Core 1 and 2 with complete stratigraphic interpretations using the traditional reciprocal model (assumes carbonate-rich intervals represent highstand shedding). Sequence boundaries shown with red horizontal lines while each blue line represents a maximum flooding surface (MFS).

Specifically, the lower half of each sequence contains more carbonate beds (various lithofacies) and the upper half of each sequence has a higher concentration of siliceous mudstone beds. This trend is well developed in the uppermost Wolfcamp sequence, roughly aligned with the operator designated Wolfcamp A. Here the carbonate-prone facies concentrated at the base of each sequence are interpreted as belonging to a basinal expression of a relative sea level fall as a result of shelf-derived, carbonate grain bypassed from the shelf margin. Conversely, the concentrated siliceous mudstone beds at the top of the sequence are interpreted as resulting from a relative sea level high and coinciding with fewer carbonate clasts available for deposition in the basin (Figure II-10).

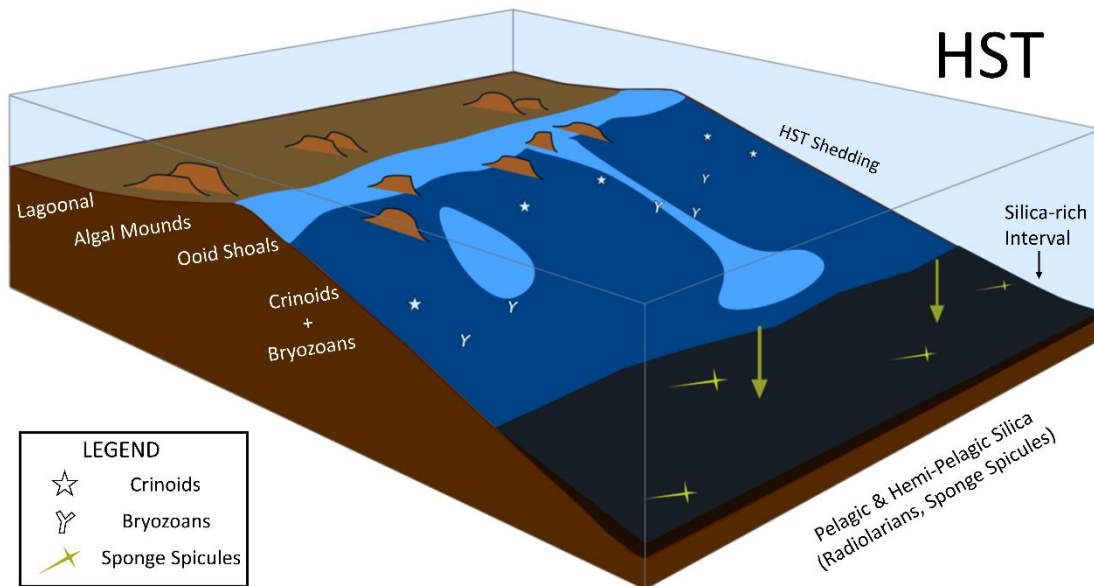


Figure II-10 (A) Block diagram for proposed depositional model - highstand (HST) scenario. Note productive carbonate factories in landward environments and associated highstand shedding and carbonate fans on the adjacent slope. Also note that some calciturbidites make it to the basin floor but the factories are farther landward during highstands and most of the shed material is not delivered far out into the basin

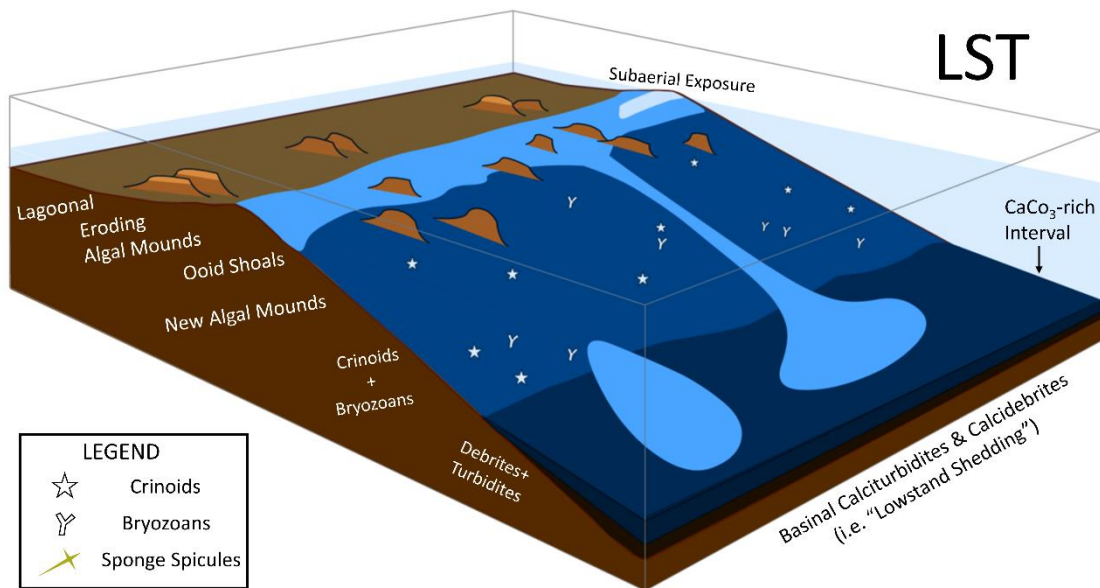


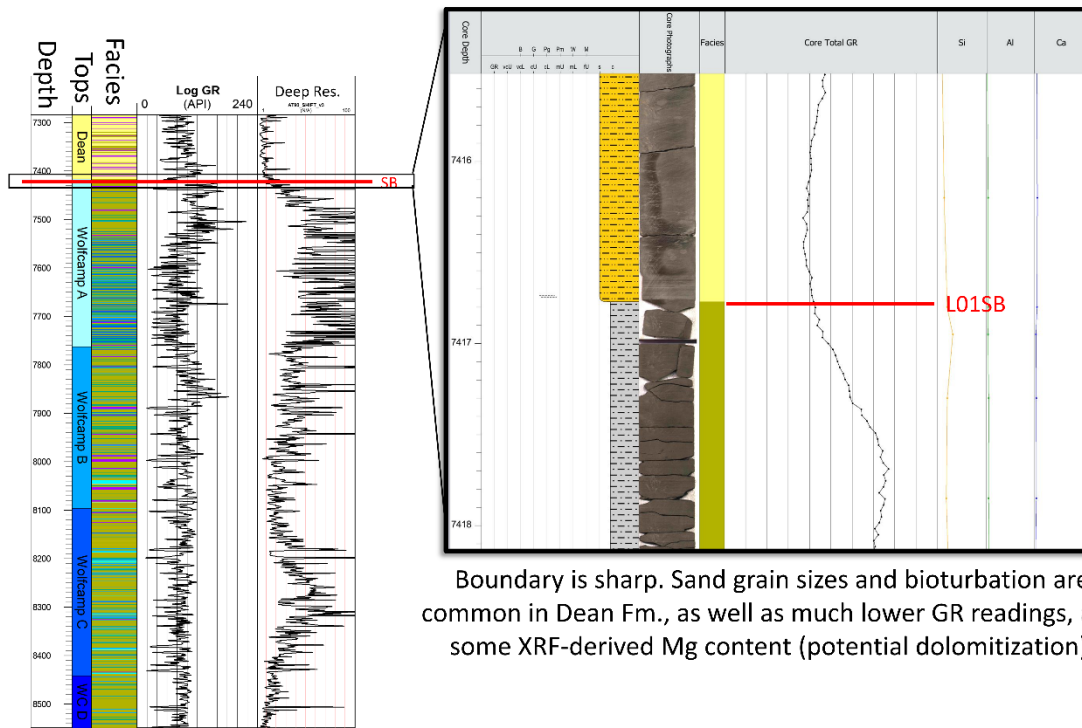
Figure II-10 (B) Block diagram for proposed depositional model - lowstand (LST) scenario. Note the presence of carbonate-rich basin floor fans associated with downdip migration of productive carbonate factories. In ramp settings lacking a pronounced shelf break the shallow area available for carbonate factory development does not decrease with a drop in sea level (such that factories move seaward rather than shut-down) and produced sediment is closer to the basin floor (i.e. “Lowstand shedding”). Subaerial erosion of previous highstand carbonate factories can generate carbonate sediments in both ramp and platform settings.

The concurrence of high-silica, high-TOC, and fine-grained mudstones in the in the organic-rich mudstone facies of the Wolfcamp Group are interpreted as resulting from a biogenic source of the silica content, associated with high organic productivity. The Siliceous Mudstone facies (Facies 9) has the highest average TOC of all the facies, and the Mixed Siliceous-Carbonate Mudstone facies (Facies 8) has the second highest average TOC (Table 1B). The fine-grained (finer than coarse silt) siliceous intervals observed in this study are interpreted as fundamentally different than the coarser grained detrital quartz input normally associated with lowstands in younger Permian strata, as in the Delaware Mountain Group (Wilson, 1967; Silver and Todd, 1969; Handford, 1981).

Recent study of the younger Delaware Mountain Group has also attributed significant basinal siliciclastic (> medium silt sized) input to eolian transport (Motanated and Tice, 2016). If eolian siliceous input to the basin was also significant during the Wolfcampian, this would also dilute the signal associated with fluviially-derived siliceous input into the basin. Though thin sections could not be taken for this study, other recent petrographic analyses (Driskill et al., 2018; Thompson et al., 2018; Wilson et al., 2020) indicates significant biogenic silica content in the Wolfcamp Group, supplied by radiolarians, sponge spicules, and agglutinated foraminifera. Silicon to zirconium ratios have been used to distinguish biogenic and detrital silica in the Wolfcamp Group (Wilson et al., 2020) where elevated Si/Zr values in the Wolfcamp Group versus the overlying Spraberry were interpreted as corresponding to biogenic (or authigenic) quartz. In these cores, Si/Zr is also consistently higher than in the overlying Dean Formation, rarely exceeding 0.15 and never exceeding 0.2, conversely almost the entire Wolfcamp Group exceeds a Si/Zr ratio of 0.15. Silicon to aluminum ratios have also been employed in the Wolfcamp Group (Driskill et al., 2018) with elevated values were interpreted as indicating biogenically-sourced silica, although in these cores the Si/Al ratio is most elevated in carbonates facies lacking any clay content and is therefore not useful for distinguishing between clastic and biogenically-sourced siliceous facies here. Various absolute elemental concentrations used as detrital indicators (e.g. zircon, and to a lesser extent titanium) in these cores do show consistently lower values in siliceous mudstone beds in the Wolfcamp Group compared with the siliceous siltstones in the overlying Dean. Additionally, the regional lateral continuity of the siliceous intervals seems to

support a basin-wide depositional process for quartz-rich intervals, rather than an unevenly distributed point-sourced (fluvial-deltaic) model (Reading, 1991; Playton et al., 2010; Bhattacharya et al., 2019).

Recent modeling work shows a variety of common stratigraphic architectures can be replicated entirely using autogenic variables when external controls or allogenic variables (e.g. eustasy and sediment supply) are held constant (Hajek and Straub, 2017). When these allogenic and autogenic processes are superimposed, allogenic trends are more easily observed at larger spatial or temporal scales (Wang et al., 2011). When allogenic signals are drowned out by autogenic signals, this is termed “signal shredding” (Jerolmack and Paola, 2010). Individual event beds in the basin cannot be definitively interpreted as evidence of externally-controlled cyclicity. Specific carbonate lithologies also be indicative of re-deposition. For example, “mega-breccias” were interpreted as lowstand deposits and “calci-turbidites” as highstand shedding (Spence and Tucker, 1997) and skeletal-grain-rich calciturbidites were interpreted as lowstand deposits (Reijmer et al., 2012). Others have interpreted carbonate deposition in the Permian Basin as occurring during sea level lows in the absence of significant siliciclastic input (Saller et al., 1993). The proposed model would cease to function in the presence of significant siliceous detrital input, as at the interpreted sequence boundary between the Wolfcamp Group and the overlying Dean Formation (Figure II-11) which marks the influx of significant detrital silica, interpreted as a traditional siliciclastic lowstand (Handford, 1981).



Boundary is sharp. Sand grain sizes and bioturbation are common in Dean Fm., as well as much lower GR readings, and some XRF-derived Mg content (potential dolomitization).

Figure II-11 (A) Sequence boundary (correlative conformity) example in core, base of siliciclastic lowstand fan at Dean-Wolfcamp boundary. Note that this sequence boundary does not require invoking LST carbonate deposition, as interpreted for intra-Wolfcamp Group sequence boundaries.

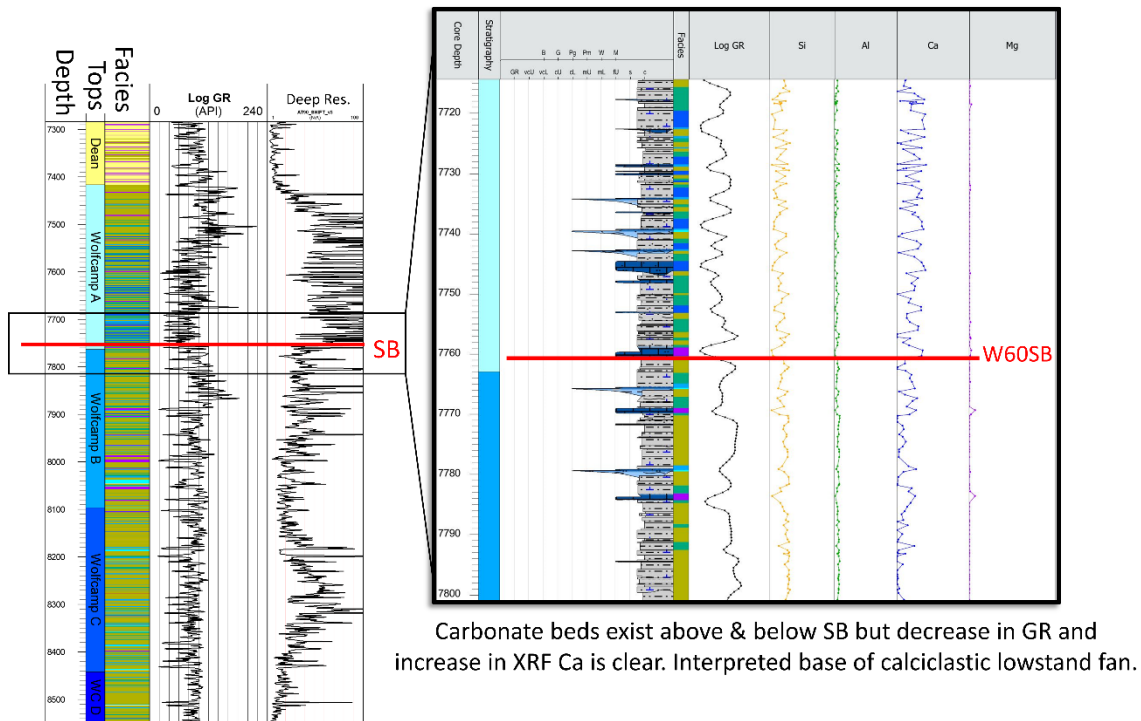


Figure Chapter II-11 (B) Sequence boundary (correlative conformity) example in core, intra-Wolfcamp example, base of calciclastic lowstand fan.

Quantifying Carbonate Bed Dimensions as Lithofacies

A better and more quantitative understanding of the constituent lithofacies and their dimensions in the Wolfcamp Group, as well as the associated stratigraphic processes, will facilitate subsurface modeling where only 1D data (i.e. well logs) are used to extrapolate facies in 3D. In particular, object-based modeling allows as an input the size and shape of prototypical geobodies for a given facies (Strebelle, 2006; Deveugle et al., 2014; Wang et al., 2018, but this information is best gained where the rocks can be observed directly, as in core or outcrop. The distribution and dimensions of the carbonate facies in the Wolfcamp Group, for example, are poorly constrained and therefore difficult to model (Casey et al., 2018).

While lateral and vertical dimensions of individual carbonate geobodies can be inferred from well logs, especially at the bedset scale, more precise measurements can be made with core data which enable direct observation of individual lamina, lamina sets, and beds at the sub-log scale in one or multiple cores. In the studied cores (Figure II-12), limestone beds are described and interpreted as recording sediment gravity flows, e.g. calciturbidites and as calcidebrites (*sensu* Reijmer et al., 2012). The beds are typically between 0.5 and 1.5 ft (15-46 cm) thick as measured directly in the cores and they tend to be continuous between the cores based on the identical and near identical thickness, frequency, and lithologies of carbonate beds between them. This requires the sediment gravity flow basinal fan deposits to be at least 3 miles (4.8 km) across (Figure II-13). These results can be added and compared to the limited literature on the dimensions of calciturbidites and calcidebrites.

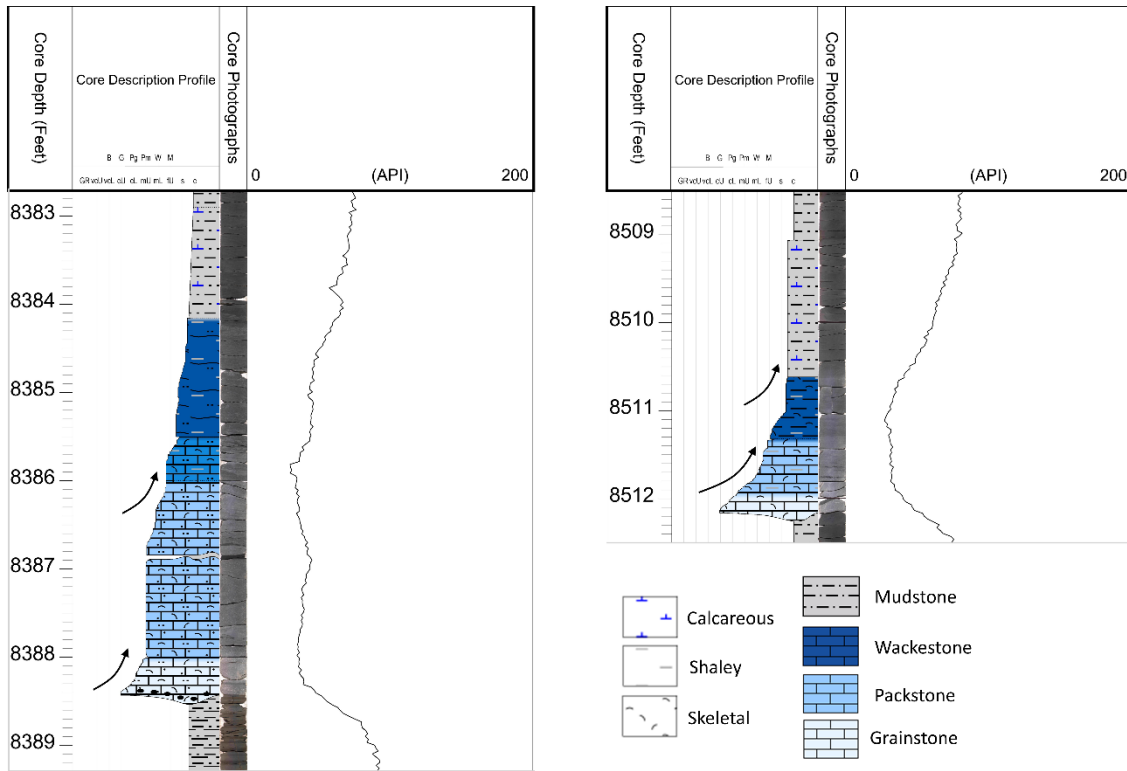


Figure II-12 Typical normally graded event beds (calciturbidites) from core 2. Two examples shown, both grading upward from basal grainstone intervals (light blue) to packstone, wackestone intervals (medium to dark blue), and carbonate-rich mudstone intervals (grey with blue).

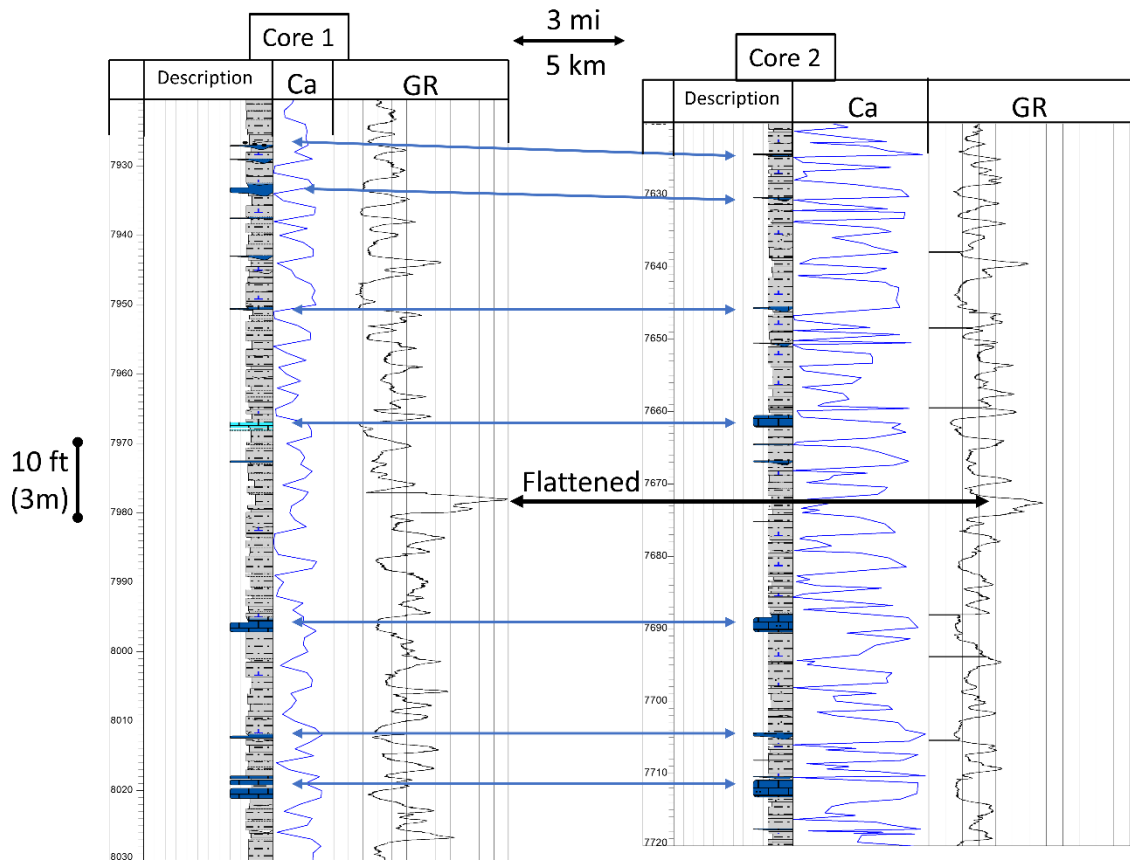


Figure II-13 One-to-one correlation of individual detrital limestone beds at log and sub-log scale between cores 1 and 2 in lower Wolfcamp A shown with GR, XRF-Ca and simplified descriptions. Note that each blue arrow shows an event present in both cores, and the black arrow shows a local high gamma-ray mudstone datum used for this correlation.

Some studies have focused on the dimensions of entire fans, which offers useful upper bounds for expected dimensions of individual beds comprising basin floor fans. For example, carbonate fans were classified into those which are less than 6 miles (10 km) across, those which are 6 to 22 miles (10-35 km) across, and those which are greater than 31 miles (50 km) across (Payros and Pujalte, 2008). Individual carbonate beds from Devonian outcrops in Utah, interpreted as lower slope debrites, were shown to be

typically between 0.2 and 3 ft (5-90 cm) thick and between 400 and 2000 ft (120-610 m) across (Sheehan et al., 1993). Wolfcamp Group hybrid-event beds were shown in northern Delaware Basin cores (Kvale et al., 2020) formed as part of off-axis and lateral fringe deposition in a mixed lithology fan and is thought to be the best, though more proximal, analog to the cores studied here. There, detrital carbonate hybrid-event beds (HEB's) were generally < 2 ft (0.6 m) thick but they were not correlated between cores and their lateral dimensions are therefore unknown. Generally, transported carbonate beds associated with debris-, grain- and mud-dominated deposits range from 10's to 100's to 1000's of meters across (~33 to 3280 ft), where finer grained systems show greater lateral continuity associated with lower energy deposition (Playton et al., 2010). The larger lateral dimensions reported for fine-grained (distal) detrital carbonate beds (Playton et al., 2010) are consistent with observations from this study. For comparison, mudstone intervals of comparable thickness (1-10 feet, or meter-scale) are created by many events over time such that similar patterns of mudstone facies between both cores might be explained by analogous depositional histories reflecting similar seafloor conditions rather than requiring each hemipelagic event to span the distance between the cores.

Comparing Nickel, Molybdenum, and Uranium as proxies for TOC

Three elements (nickel, molybdenum, and uranium) were hypothesized as potential organic proxies for the Wolfcamp Group mudstone units (Figure II-14). XRF measurements were correlated with operator-provided LECO TOC measurements

(Figure 14). Nickel was moderately correlated with Total Organic Content (TOC) with an R^2 of 0.64, molybdenum was weakly correlated with TOC (R^2 of 0.25), and uranium was not correlated with TOC (R^2 of 0.03). Calcium (as a proxy for carbonate minerals) was hypothesized as potentially inversely correlated with TOC reflecting dilution by carbonate beds of organic-rich siliceous mudstone beds but showed no correlation (R^2 of 0.13) when including all lithofacies. For comparison, total gamma-ray measurements made via a core scanner have a weak to moderate correlation with TOC (R^2 of 0.41).

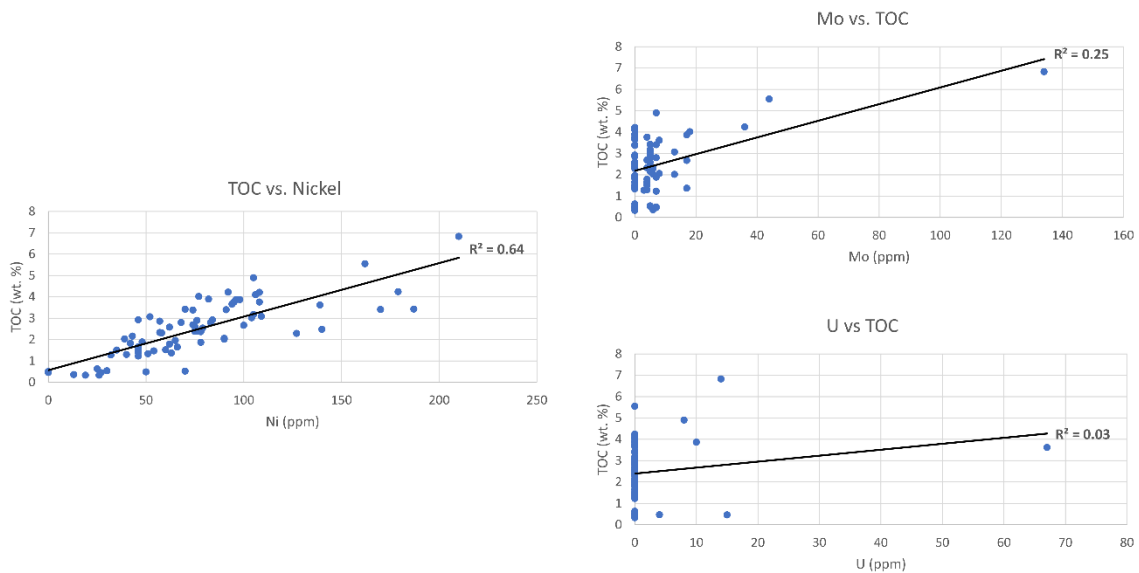


Figure II-14 While nickel (shown) is a good proxy for total organic content (TOC), with a moderate linear correlation ($R^2 = 0.64$), molybdenum and uranium (not shown) have poor to no correlation with TOC ($R^2 = 0.25$ and 0.03 , respectively) and are therefore poor proxies in the Wolfcamp Group.

Average calcium content within only Wolfcamp Group mudstone facies, however, does show an inverse relationship with TOC (Table 1) where lithofacies 9, siliceous mudstone, has an average calcium content of 4 ppm and average TOC of 3.2 wt. %, lithofacies 8, mixed siliceous-carbonate mudstone, has an average calcium

content of 15 ppm and average TOC of 2.9 wt. %, lithofacies 7, carbonate mudstone, has an average calcium content of 18 ppm and average TOC of 1.8 wt. %. Between these mudstone lithofacies, there is a moderate inverse correlation between calcium content and TOC (R^2 of 0.65), therefore suggesting a potential dilution effect between these lithofacies. Lithofacies 10, argillaceous mudstone, is rare in the Wolfcamp Group and has both low carbonate content and low TOC (1 ppm carbonate content and 0 wt. % TOC). The relationship also breaks down in the overlying Dean Formation where siliceous siltstones beds have low average calcium content and low average TOC (4 ppm and 1.1 wt. %). The dilution interpretation for the Wolfcamp Group mudstone in these cores agrees with observations of the Wolfcamp Group by previous workers (Baumgardner et al., 2014). Spectral Gamma-Ray measurements of the core also were tested as organic proxies, both total and uranium gamma-ray readings show low to moderate correlation with TOC (R^2 of 0.41, for total and uranium gamma-ray). To summarize, XRF data reveals two key insights into organic-rich source rocks and organic content in the Wolfcamp Group. One, nickel is an effective proxy for TOC and two, that carbonate content shows a moderate negative correlation between Wolfcamp Group lithofacies, here interpreted as a dilution effect.

Long Term Intra-Wolfcamp Group Trends

Recent work (Montañez et al., 2016; Chen et al., 2018) has shown that peak global icehouse conditions were present at the end of the Pennsylvanian and the beginning of the Permian (Gzhelian and Asselian stages). After this period of peak

glaciation and associated high-amplitude eustatic fluctuations, icehouse conditions decreased during the Lower Permian. Therefore, it was hypothesized that large-scale shifts in facies cyclicity through the Lower Permian stratigraphy in these cores may reflect a shift away from peak ice-house conditions. It should also be noted that a coincident external control involves the collision of Laurentia and Gondwana associated with the assembly of Pangea and subsequent tectonically-controlled subsidence of the Midland and Delaware Basins through the latest Pennsylvanian and earliest Permian (Yang and Dorobek, 1995).

Some large-scale trends in litho- and chemofacies variations do occur upward through the Wolfcamp Group (Figure II-7). First, average bed thickness was measured for the Wolfcamp A, B and C but no clear trends in thickness were observed, with beds in the Wolfcamp C averaging 1.2 ft (37 cm), beds in the Wolfcamp B averaging 1.4 ft (43 cm), and beds in the Wolfcamp A averaging 1.1 ft (34 cm). Thorium content, however, measured by spectral gamma-ray and by XRF, shows a significant decrease upward, from the Wolfcamp C to the Wolfcamp B and especially to the Wolfcamp A. Also, lithofacies 2, the floatstone lithofacies, is exclusive to the Wolfcamp C, Wolfcamp D and lowermost Wolfcamp B; conversely, they are absent in the Wolfcamp A of both core 1 and core 2. Lithofacies 3 and 4, skeletal grainstone and skeletal wacke/packstone, also decrease significantly upsection. The relative proportions of mudstone facies show a decrease in lithofacies 8, 9, and 10 (mixed, siliceous and argillaceous mudstone facies, respectively) and an increase in lithofacies 7 (carbonate mudstone) upsection and into the Wolfcamp A (Figure II-15).

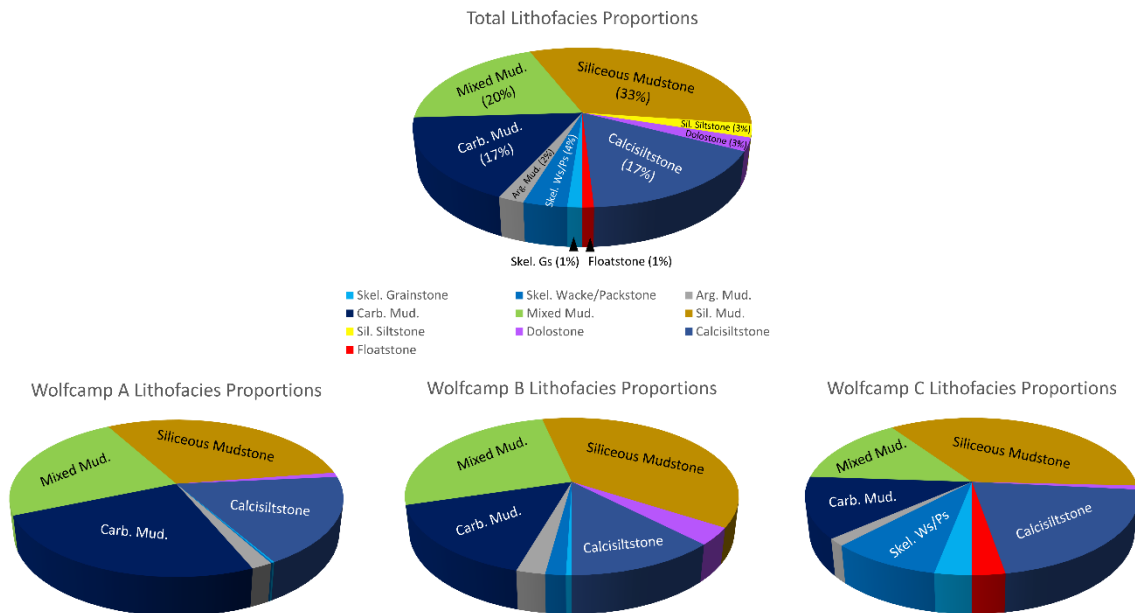


Figure II-15 Lithofacies proportions throughout the entire Wolfcamp, aggregated from both cores. Total proportions shown on top, and proportions for Wolfcamp A, B, and C shown below. Note that minor lithofacies are only labelled on topmost pie graph for the total proportions. Note that lithofacies change dramatically between the Wolfcamp A, B and C. Lithofacies 7, Carbonate Mudstone, is far more common in the Wolfcamp A, lithofacies 4, wacke/packstone, is far more common in Wolfcamp B and C. Lithofacies 2 and 3, floatstone and grainstone, are rare but most common in the Wolfcamp C and almost entirely missing from Wolfcamp A. Lithofacies 5, calcisiltstone, is common throughout the Wolfcamp. In aggregate, a significant trend towards finer carbonate facies is observed up-section, through the Wolfcamp Group and is interpreted as reflecting backstepping of carbonate factories, aligned with published eustasy curves for the Wolfcamp Group in the Lower Permian (Ross and Ross, 1987).

In aggregate these trends demonstrate a clear fining of carbonate facies upsection through the Wolfcamp Group, potentially indicating a relative landward migration of carbonate factories associated with long-term eustatic rise (i.e. backstepping). This agrees with long term (2nd-order) eustatic rise shown by previous workers (Ross and Ross, 1987). This longer-term trend would also be correlated with a shift away from peak icehouse conditions and the maximal extent of global glaciation associated with the

earliest Permian. Alternatively, the decline in tectonism associated with the Ouachita-Marathon orogeny during the Wolfcampian could also be invoked as a potential causal mechanism explaining the upward fining of carbonate facies.

Conclusions

Over 2,000 ft (>600 meters) of cored Wolfcamp Group stratigraphy were described bed-by-bed, and combined with high-resolution XRF elemental data resulting in ten distinct lithofacies, including four compositionally-defined mudstone facies. The Wolfcamp Group, which shows a consistently low clay content (< 50 wt. %) and a consistent clay to quartz ratio, varies as a function of carbonate content. By virtue of their composition the Wolfcamp Group mudstone beds are shown to be associated with marine organofacies A and B (IFP Type I and II organic matter equivalent). The efficacy of elemental data, in particular aluminum, calcium, and silicon, as mineralogic proxies where mineralogy data (i.e., XRD data) is absent, is demonstrated. X-ray fluorescence is therefore consistently able to distinguish the spectrum of mudstone facies occurring throughout the Wolfcamp Group.

The limestone lithofacies are interpreted as calciturbidites and calcidebrites, and consistently correlate bed-by-bed between cores 1 and 2. Quantification of the lithofacies, especially for 3D object modeling of the subsurface, indicates these thin-bedded limestone beds in the Wolfcamp Group are < 2 ft (< 0.6 meters) thick and at least 3 miles (4.8 kilometers) across.

Several elemental proxies were tested as proxies for total organic content or TOC including nickel, molybdenum and uranium, but only nickel is shown to have a moderate positive correlation with TOC (R^2 of 0.64). Other tested elements from XRF analyses perform worse than core-run total gamma-ray measurements which does show a weak correlation with TOC (R^2 of 0.41).

Additionally, four depositional sequences (W10, W20, W50 and W60) are interpreted between cores 1 and 2 within the Wolfcamp Group using a depositional model that interprets the source of silica in siliceous mudstone intervals as being primarily the result of biogenic (as opposed to detrital) silica. Similarly, the carbonate-prone intervals are interpreted as resulting from either the up-dip erosion of carbonate platforms or the basinward shift of carbonate factories during lowstands. This bioclastic lowstand model differs from the traditional reciprocal sedimentation model and provides a useful alternative framework for defining interpreted lowstand deposits where coarse (sand-sized) siliciclastic input is absent, as in the case of the Wolfcamp Group in southern Midland Basin. Importantly, this model demonstrates that alternative explanations for silica-rich and carbonate-rich alternating strata exist, and that research invoking the traditional reciprocal sedimentation model should attempt to demonstrate that the silica is predominately detrital (specifically fluvial) in nature. Similarly, the presence of detrital carbonate deposits in the basin not inherently diagnostic of relative sea level highstands, as some workers historically assumed.

Finally, several large-scale shifts in litho- and chemofacies are observed from the lower Wolfcamp to the upper Wolfcamp Group. In particular, an increase in thorium

occurs in both spectral gamma-ray and in XRF, and a fining of carbonate facies away from skeletal wacke/packstone and toward carbonate mudstone is observed. These shifts correlate with declining icehouse conditions in the Lower Permian although the decline in tectonism is also a possible causal mechanism for these trends.

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CHAPTER III SEQUENCE STRATIGRAPHY OF THE LOWER WOLFCAMP
FORMATION IN THE WOLF CAMP HILLS AT THE SOUTHERN MARGIN OF
DELAWARE BASIN, BREWSTER COUNTY, WEST TEXAS

Abstract

The Lower Wolfcamp Formation (Asselian to Sakmarian) is defined, described, and interpreted at the Wolf Camp Hills type locality along the southern margin of the Delaware Basin in Brewster County, Texas. Six sections were measured and used to create a new 622 foot (190 meter) composite type section for the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. These sections are tied into a digital outcrop model created with drone photogrammetry documenting lap-out relationships. The base of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation is placed at an angular unconformity (W10sb), which also marks the top of the Bursumian (Newwellian) substage. The top of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation is placed at a distinct angular unconformity (W50sb) overlain by prominent, stacked, carbonate-clast conglomerate bedsets, which contain normally-graded cobble to boulder-sized clasts. Two depositional sequences (W10 and W20) are interpreted, each marked by a basal conglomerate interval potentially reflecting a relative sea-level fall, as well as tectonic activity associated with coeval Marathon-Ouachita thrusting. Two major transgressive surfaces are also identified and marked by a sharp change from limestones (below) to mudstones (above), coinciding with sharp increases in gamma-ray values. Significant lateral thinning to the east (N70E) is interpreted as resulting from differential truncation under the tectonically-enhanced angular unconformity (W50sb) located at the

top of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. Lithologies are grouped into seven facies interpreted as occurring along a moderate relief carbonate depositional profile capable of transporting coarse clasts during relative sea level falls. Lithoclasts are interpreted as the byproduct of updip erosion of the shallowest (upper foreset and topset) portions within each depositional sequence. This unique depositional profile may be a function of the proximal foredeep or “wedge top” setting adjacent to the Ouachita-Marathon orogenic wedge, and is rarely preserved.

Introduction

Despite ongoing interest in Wolfcamp Group across the greater Permian Basin region (Gaswirth et al., 2018), its detailed regional stratigraphy is still poorly understood. Historically, the Wolfcamp Group was studied in both proximal, limestone-rich outcrops and more recently in mudstone-rich strata, due to the growth in the availability of subsurface data from basinal settings. Adding complexity to the understanding of the basinal stratigraphy has been the use of industry-specific, informal stratigraphic terms in the subsurface and more provincial terms in outcrop. Furthermore, arbitrary and variable lithostratigraphic assignments of units in the subsurface, as well as the inconsistent use of sequence stratigraphic concepts (Nelson et al. 2013), have prevented the development of a unified chronostratigraphic framework across the basin for units like the Wolfcamp Group.

The original use of the term Wolfcamp was as the Wolfcamp Formation (Udden, 1917, King, 1931). It was defined at its type locality, the Wolf Camp Hills, located at the

foot of the Glass Mountains in Brewster County, Texas (Udden, 1917). These strata were subsequently divided into two formations (i.e., the Neal Ranch and Lenox Hills Formations) by Ross (1959), essentially elevating the Wolfcamp to Group level. Cooper and Grant (1972) proposed adding younger (Kungurian) strata, which they named the Skinner Ranch Formation, into the Wolfcamp Group (Figure III-1). Thus, along the Glass Mountain outcrops, there is no consensus as to the chronostratigraphic placement of the top of the Wolfcamp Group. Furthermore, the exact stratigraphic placement of the base of the Wolfcamp Group has also been debated. King (1931) placed it at the base of his Gray Limestone Unit (Figure III-1). However, Ross (1959, 1963) placed the base of the Wolfcamp Group at the top of the Gray Limestone Unit (Figure III-1).

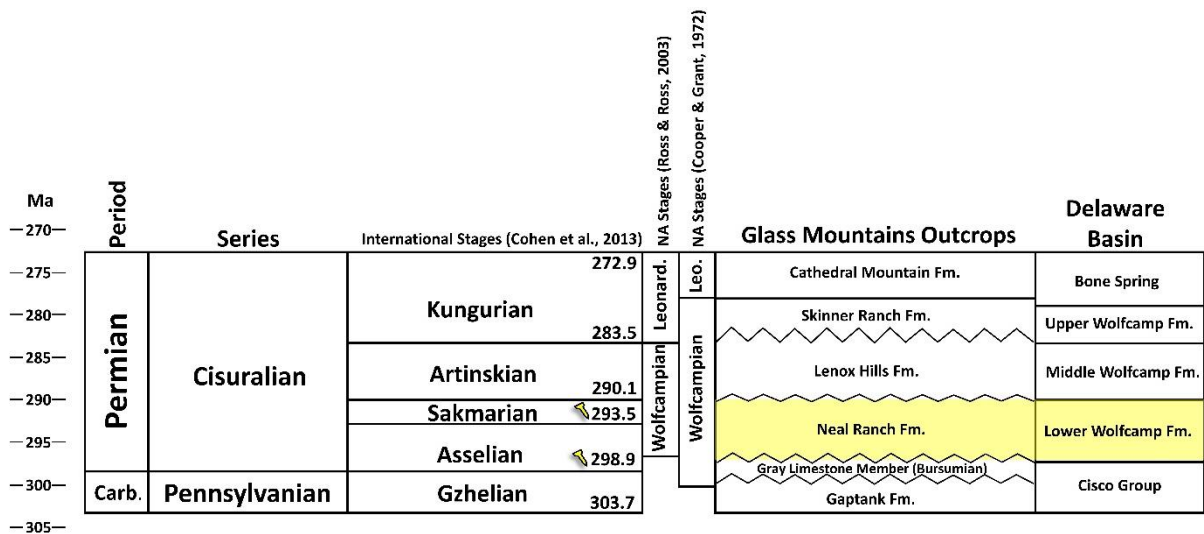


Figure III-1 Stratigraphic chart with international and North American stages, legacy Glass Mountains stratigraphy, and the proposed nomenclature. International stage ages from (Cohen et al., 2013; Lucas and Shen, 2018), note that the base of the Asselian and Sakmarian have defined GSSPs. Yellow highlight indicates focus of this study.

This paper supports the tri-partite stratigraphic framework of the Wolfcamp Group proposed by Cooper and Grant (1972) but here the provincial terms of Neal Ranch, Lenox Hills, and Skinner Ranch, which lack any sense of superposition, are replaced, respectively, by the terms Lower, Middle, and Upper Wolfcamp Formations.

Additionally, the term Wolfcamp has also been used to convey time, specifically as the Lowermost North American Permian Stage and later, the Lowermost North American Series (Adams, 1939; King, 1942; Ross, 1963). However, the global standardization of the geologic time scale (Cohen et al., 2013), has made these provincial North American Stage names somewhat obsolete. Currently the Lower Permian stages include, from the base up, the international Asselian, Sakmarian, Artinskian, and Kungurian Stages. These stages approximately correspond to the classic North American Wolfcampian and Leonardian Stages. However, ICS stage boundaries are typically defined in conformable, biostratigraphically-defined condensed sections (Cowie et al., 1986; Lucas, 2013), while the classic North American stages are based on unconformities, so the relative position of stage, series, and systems boundaries in North America are now all in a state of flux. The original base of the Wolfcampian no longer aligns with the base of the Permian (Lucas, 2013) and the Lowermost Wolfcampian strata (the “Gray Limestone Member”) previously included within the Permian (e.g., King, 1937) are now considered Latest Pennsylvanian in age based on the International Geologic Time Scale (Cohen et al., 2013). These Uppermost Pennsylvanian (Cohen et al., 2013) strata have been referred to as the Bursumian Stage or Substage (Ross and Ross, 1987; Ross and Ross, 1994), as well as the Newwellian Substage (Wilde, 2002).

These strata, now considered Latest Pennsylvanian, are excluded from the Wolfcamp Group in this article.

Geologic Setting

Permian rocks, first recognized in the Ural Mountains (Murchison, 1841), also outcrop in the portion of Texas west of the Pecos river known as the Trans-Pecos region (Hill, 1887). The geology of the Trans-Pecos region is complex and includes several small mountain ranges, including the Glass Mountains which form an east-west trending cuesta or homocline comprised largely of Permian rocks dipping gently to the north and northwest (Hill, 1903). The Wolf Camp Hills are at the foot of the Glass Mountains in Brewster County approximately 19 kilometers northeast of the town of Marathon, and contain rocks from the Late Pennsylvanian and Early Permian (Böse, 1917; Udden, 1917; King, 1931; Ross, 1959).

The Latest Pennsylvanian and Earliest Permian rocks of the Wolf Camp Hills and the Glass Mountains were deposited in a tectonically and climatically dynamic Late Paleozoic environment (Galley, 1958; Adams, 1965; Ewing, 1984; Hills, 1985). The Middle Paleozoic proto-Permian Basin was the Tobosa Basin and its depositional units, such as the organic-rich Devonian Woodford Formation, were deposited in relatively quiescent waters, bounded by a passive continental margin to the south (Galley, 1958; Yang and Dorobek, 1995; Tai and Dorobek, 2003). In the Carboniferous, this broad shallow basin was sub-divided into a series of smaller basins and uplifts (notably the deeper, western Delaware Basin, the Central Basin Platform, and the shallower, eastern Midland Basin) associated with the closing of the Rheic Ocean, the eventual collision of

Gondwana and Laurasia, and the assembly of Pangea (Galley, 1958, Adams, 1965; Ewing, 1984, Hills, 1985). This continental suturing produced the Marathon-Ouachita Orogeny, which involved significant loading and subsequent flexure on the North American plate in the Marathon (Trans-Pecos) region (Yang and Dorobek, 1995; Poole et al., 2005). The thrusting was directed to the northwest (Ross, 1986) creating the larger Permian Basin with several uplifts and sub-basins (Yang and Dorobek, 1995). The greater Permian Basin is a peripheral (i.e., collisional) foreland basin located above the subducted passive margin, where the Rheic Ocean crust was subducted beneath the continent of Gondwana. Additional relevant paleogeographic features in the vicinity of the Glass Mountains include the Diablo Platform to the west of Delaware Basin (named for the present-day Sierra Diablo Mountains), and the Orogrande Basin in New Mexico, which also contains significant Wolfcampian stratigraphy (Oriel and McKee, 1967; Wahlman et al., 2013).

There also are several other current small mountain ranges bounding the perimeter of Delaware Basin including, clockwise from the southern Glass Mountains, the Davis, Apache, Delaware, and Guadalupe Mountains which also contain documented Late Paleozoic stratigraphy (e.g., Blanchard and Davis, 1929; Crandall, 1929; King et al., 1965; Sarg, 1989; Sonnenfeld and Cross, 1993; Fitchen, 1997; Playton and Kerans, 2002; Janson et al., 2007). Rocks in these localities have a variety of distinct lithologies and provincial formation names, and their precise time-relationship to the Wolfcamp Group in the Glass Mountains is disputed (Richardson, 1904; Lee and Girty, 1909; Hills, 1942; King, 1942; Fitchen, 1997; Lucas et al., 1998; Lucas et al., 2014).

The Permian strata in the Glass Mountains were interpreted as being deposited on a southern shelf of the Delaware Basin (Figure III-2), and bounded by the Hovey Channel to the northwest, the Marfa Basin to the southwest, the greater Delaware Basin to the north, and the Sheffield Channel and Val Verde Foredeep Basin to the northeast (Flawn et al., 1961; McKee and Oriel, 1967; Cooper and Grant, 1972; Hills, 1972; Ross, 1986). The southern shelf is notably narrower compared with the northwest shelf of Delaware Basin and the eastern shelf of Midland Basin. The Glass Mountains outcrops are immediately north of the thin-skinned Ouachita-Marathon thrust-and-fold belt (Ewing, 1993), which was a significant source of sediment during the Pennsylvanian and Permian (Wuellner et al., 1986; Hamlin, 2009; Soto-Kerans et al., 2020). Peak subsidence in the Delaware and Midland Basins is estimated to have occurred during deposition of the Wolfcampian strata (Hills, 1984; Horak, 1985; Ewing, 1993). Major thrust faults (e.g., the Dugout Creek Thrust) in the region are not exposed in the Wolf Camp Hills or the Glass Mountains, although their subsurface expression tips out just below the Glass Mountains, as documented in well data (King, 1980; Ross, 1986; Ross and Ross, 2003).

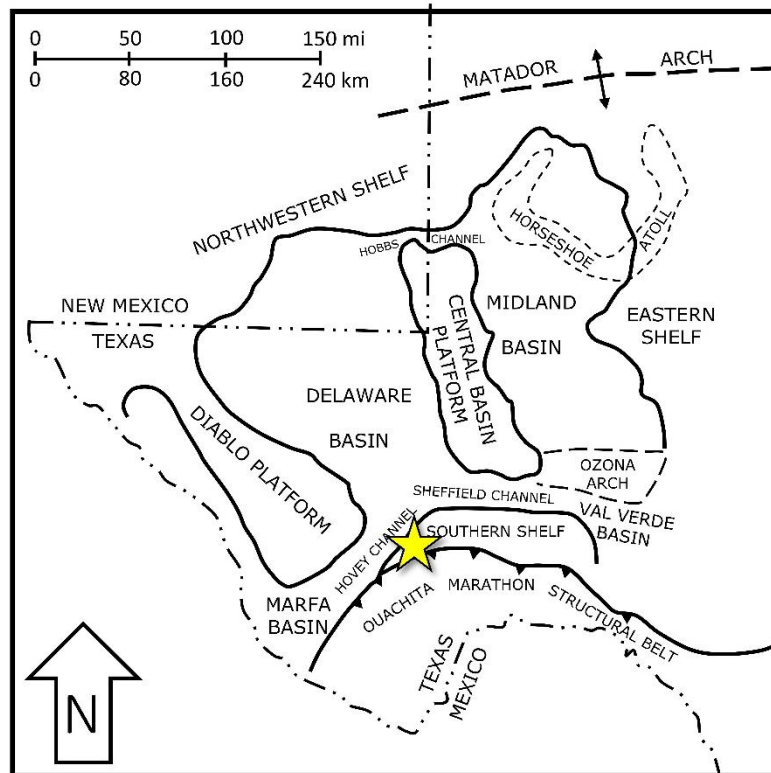


Figure III-2 Map of the Permian Basin with Late Paleozoic features (after McKee and Oriol, 1967). The yellow star in Brewster County approximates location of Wolf Camp Hills at foot of Glass Mountains.

The Permian Basin was located on the western side of the supercontinent Pangea where it was connected to the Panthalassic ocean at low, equatorial latitudes (± 5 degrees latitude from the equator) during the Earliest Permian (Ross and Ross, 1990; Scotese and Langford, 1995; Tabor and Montañez, 2002; Tabor and Montañez, 2004; Tabor et al., 2008; Koch and Frank, 2011). The Permian Basin likely was influenced by westerly trade winds (Tabor and Montañez, 2002; Miall, 2019). Study of paleosols from the region indicate a transition from Late Pennsylvanian wet climate to an increasingly arid climate in the Early Permian (Tabor and Montañez, 2004). Globally, the Permian

coincided with a long-term transition away from peak icehouse conditions and recent work indicates the maximum extent of glaciation occurred near the Pennsylvanian-Permian boundary, from approximately 303 to 297 Ma (Montañez et al., 2016; Chen et al., 2018). In the Latest Pennsylvanian, even low latitudes may have been sufficiently cold to support widespread glaciation (Soreghan et al., 2008). Historically, workers interpreted higher frequency cyclicity and higher magnitude eustasy associated with icehouse conditions compared with greenhouse conditions, potentially representing 4th-order depositional sequences (Heckel, 1986; Ross and Ross, 2003; Holterhoff, 2010). Global eustatic interpretations for the Lower Wolfcampian (North American Bursumian and Nealian stages) based on the Paleozoic outcrops from the Glass Mountains show several short term (3rd-order) eustatic fluctuations (10's of meters). superimposed on a longer-term sea-level rise of approximately 30 meters through the Lower Wolfcamp Formation before a final, major drop of sea level at the top of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation potentially exceeding 50 meters (Ross and Ross, 1987; Ross and Ross, 1995). Many recent global eustatic composite curves (e.g., Rygel et al., 2008) leverage the eustatic interpretations from the Permian Basin region (Ross and Ross, 1987). The magnitude of eustasy in the Late Pennsylvanian is estimated to be up to 50 meters by recent workers (Montañez and Poulsen, 2013), although some interpret smaller swings between 10 and 20 meters (Sweet and Soreghan, 2012). Historically some workers concluded between up to 150 meters of fluctuation was possible (Read, 1998; Rygel et al., 2008; Montañez and Poulsen, 2013). Other workers show a shift from eustatic fluctuations of approximately 110 meters during the Latest Pennsylvanian shifting to

Permian eustatic swings of approximately 70 meters (Koch and Frank, 2011). Atmospheric $p\text{CO}_2$ is interpreted as the primary driver of climate and glacioeustasy in the Late Paleozoic (Royer et al., 2004; Montañez et al., 2016), especially on longer time scales (millions of years), although orbital forcing (i.e., Milankovitch cycles on 10's or 100's kiloyear scales) is an important shorter-term driver as well (Heckel, 1986; Montañez and Poulsen, 2013). Recent work also suggested the possibility of short term (<1 million years) atmospheric $p\text{CO}_2$ -driven cyclicality which might overprint orbitally-driven cyclicality (Montañez et al., 2016). Orbital eccentricity (100-400 kyr cycles) in particular was cited as the dominant driver of short-term icehouse climate cyclicality (Heckel, 1986; Markello et al., 2008). Note that $p\text{CO}_2$ increased from approximately 300 to 900 ppm between 300 and 290 Ma (Montañez et al., 2007; Montañez et al., 2016; Chen et al., 2018). Plant fossils in Wolfcampian rocks in the subsurface also support the interpretation of a semi-arid climate in the Early Permian for the Permian Basin (Baumgardner et al., 2016; Kvale et al., 2020), although some Early Permian plant fossils from the Glass Mountains show an inconclusive mixture of wet- and arid climate-favoring floral assemblages (Glasspool et al., 2013). The oceans were primarily aragonitic during the Latest Pennsylvanian and the Earliest Permian, and algae were the dominant reef builders, with lesser contributions from *Tubiphytes*, microbes, and bryozoans (Markello et al., 2008).

Finally, the significant variation in Paleozoic carbonate profiles around the Permian Basin should also be taken into account, as they likely record different responses to relative sea level change and the resulting sediment delivery to the basin, or the local

tectonics of the area. The Leonardian Hess Formation, which is strongly aggradational, forms the bulk of the southern face of the Glass Mountains above the Wolf Camp Hills (Ross et al., 1987). The earliest Wolfcampian phylloid-algal mounds aggrade less, create less relief, and tend to create more ramp-like profiles (Ross et al., 1987; Mazzullo and Reid, 1989; Wahlman and Tasker, 2013; Sleight et al., in press). The Sierra Diablo mountains show various Mid-Late Wolfcampian profiles, including low gradient (1 to 2°) distally-steepened ramps which are, in some places, tectonically-enhanced and steepened up to 7° gradients, adding hundreds of meters of relief (Playton and Kerans, 2006).

Data and Methodology

Data includes six measured sections through the western Wolfcamp Hills where the Lower Wolfcamp Formation is well exposed (Figure III-3). The sections include spectral gamma-ray measurements (n=1,112) made with a handheld gamma-ray spectrometer (Radiation Solutions RS-230 BGO Super-SPEC). Section A is 47 feet (14 meters) thick, section B is 145 feet (44 meters), section C is 297 feet (91 meters), section D is 265 feet (81 meters), section E is 590 feet (180 meters) thick, and section F is 148 feet (45 meters) thick. Total length of the composite measured section is 620 feet (190 meters). Measured sections focus on bed and bed-set scale features (Campbell, 1967), both carbonate and mudstone lithology, sedimentary structures, process sedimentology, and bedding surfaces. Fossil assemblages also are noted (Figure III-4). Silicification of fossils commonly is observed and consistent with previous studies (e.g., Ross, 1963).

Major bedding surfaces and lithologic breaks with potential chronostratigraphic significance are documented in detail. Measured section and spectral gamma-ray data are integrated in the software EasyCore™. Raw spectral gamma-ray data include potassium (%), uranium (ppm), and thorium (ppm) which were later used to derive the total gamma-ray values in API units (Crain, 1986). The primary use of the measured section data was to document in detail the lithologies, surfaces and cyclicity occurring during deposition of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. Extensive biostratigraphic data (Sims and Belanger, 2020, in review) and chemostratigraphic data (Gutierrez et al., 2021, in prep) also were collected throughout the Lower Wolfcamp Formation for analysis, and are integrated into this stratigraphic framework.

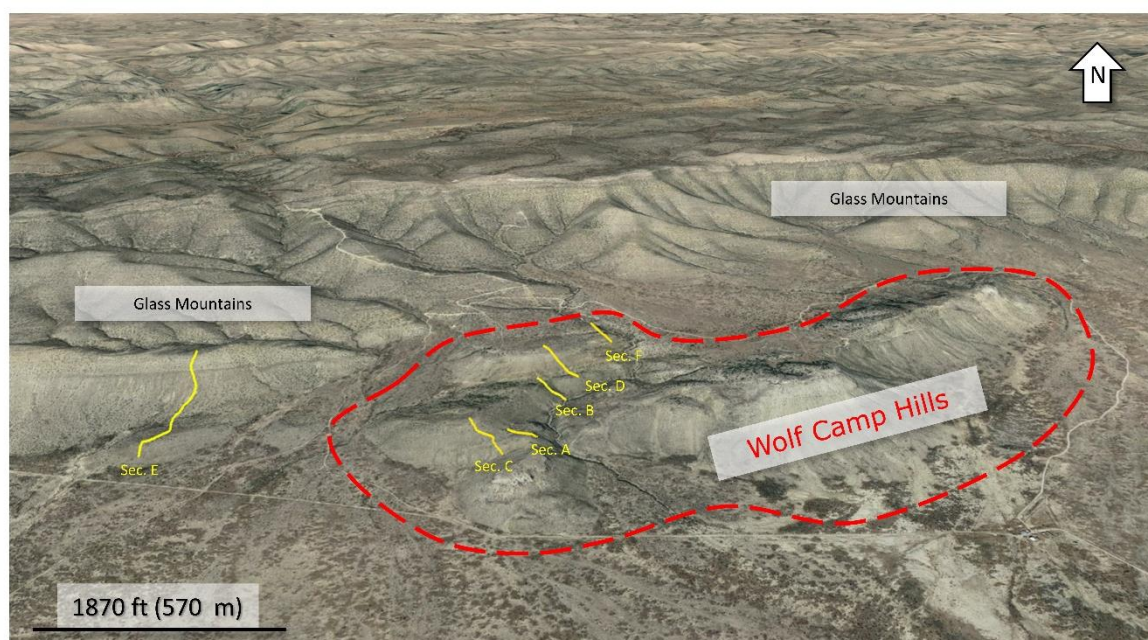


Figure III-3 Six measured sections (A through F) across Wolf Camp Hills (foreground, circled in red) at the foot of the Glass Mountains (background). Wolfcampian stratigraphy outcrops on west side of hills. View is towards the north.

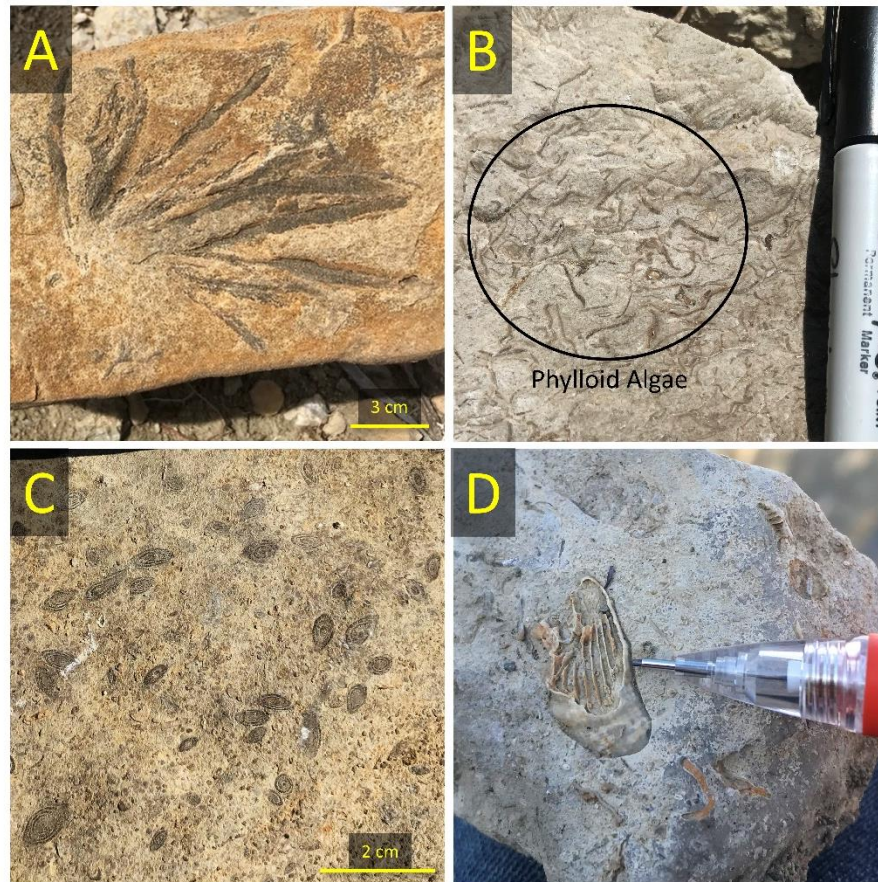


Figure III-4 Field photos of fossil assemblage. Gastropods, sponges and brachiopods (not shown) also are present. From left to right: A) Terrestrial plants in siltstone beds. B) Phylloid algae. C) Fusulinid tests. D) Rugose coral with visible septa.

Seventy-four polished fist-sized hand samples from the Wolf Camp Hills collected throughout the Lower Wolfcamp Formation aided in detailed facies description and were used to create thin sections. Thin sections are especially essential for accurate description of carbonate lithologies, particularly for those which are at least partially recrystallized or dolomitized (Laya and Tucker, 2012). Carbonate lithologies are classified according to Dunham (1962) with the modifications by Embrey and Kloven

(1972) to account for coarser-grained (>2 millimeter) lithologies. Mudstone exposures (Figure III-5) were sampled and mudstone facies were classified compositionally, according to Donovan et al. (2017). Siliceous mudstone is defined as having <15% carbonate and <50% clay (by volume), mixed siliceous-carbonate mudstone is defined as having <50% clay and 15 to 30% carbonate, carbonate mudstone is defined as having >30% carbonate and <50% clay, and finally argillaceous mudstone is defined as having >50% clay. Where possible, thin sections of mudrock facies were generated to aid in descriptions of facies, for example, in determination of relative quantities of silica and clay grains. In total, 73 thin sections were prepared and described of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation lithologies (Figure III-6).



Figure III-5 Mudstone exposures in outcrop. A) Permian Wolfcamp Group mudstone exposure from approximately 140 ft (43 m) to 160 ft (49 m) in the composite section. B) Close up example with standard size rock hammer.

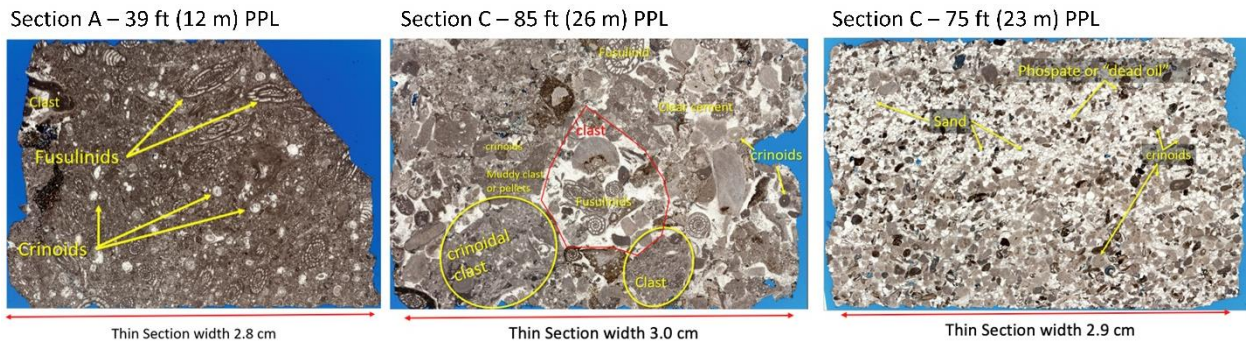


Figure III-6 Three thin section examples from measured sections A and C. From left to right, they are interpreted as a fusulinid packstone, a carbonate-clast conglomerate, and a sandy crinoidal grainstone.

Photogrammetry was gathered using a DJI Phantom 4 Pro drone for the purpose of identifying and documenting in detail the relevant lateral geometries and lap-out relationships for the Lower Wolfcamp Formation, including stratal on-lap and truncation (*sensu* Zahm et al., 2016). Oblique and overhead 20-megapixel images (n=2,260) were used in the creation of a georeferenced point cloud, which was ultimately built into a 3D DOM (Digital Outcrop Model) in Agisoft Metashape™ Professional Edition photogrammetry software (Figure III-7) for the westernmost Wolf Camp Hills. Resolution is around 5 centimeters per pixel, enabling the interpretation of bed-scale features. This 3D model also is tied to the measured sections for stratigraphic and facies control, and enables interpretation of the geobodies and bounding surfaces at seismic-scale both between and away from the measured sections.

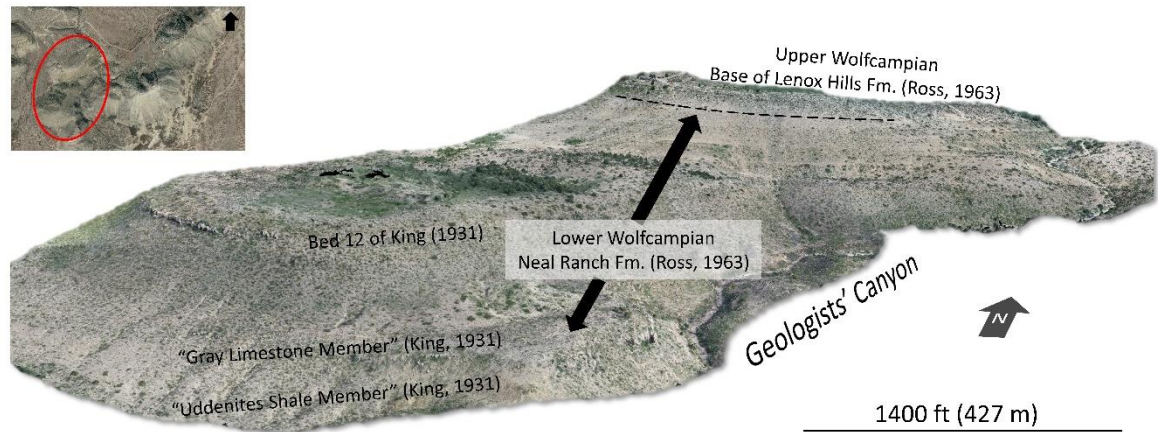


Figure III-7 Georeferenced 3D DOM (Digital Outcrop Model) of the western end of the Wolf Camp Hills created in Agisoft Metashape™ Professional Edition with overlapping 20-megapixel images (n=2,260) captured with a DJI Phantom 4 Pro. Resolution is approximately 5 centimeters per pixel. Shown with historic names of features for reference. Inset made in Google Earth.

Results

Measured Sections

The six measured sections (A, B, C, D, E and F) have varying degrees of vertical overlap and, in aggregate, capture the entirety of the stratigraphy through the Lower Wolfcamp Formation in its type locality (Udden, 1917; King, 1931; Ross, 1963) on the western side of the Wolf Camp Hills. Sections C, E and F are used in the composite section (Figure III-8). Generally speaking, the sections record intervals of thin, ridge-forming limestone beds dipping nine to twelve degrees towards the northwest that alternate with slope-forming mudstone intervals. The lowest point in the stratigraphy captured in these sections is a modestly exposed mudstone outcrop in the *Uddenites*-bearing shale member (Böse, 1917; Udden, 1917) of the uppermost Pennsylvanian Gaptank Formation (*Uddenites* is an ammonite genus discovered in a prominent

mudstone saddle on the western side of the southern mouth of Geologists' Canyon). Previous type sections for the original Wolfcamp Formation and the later Neal Ranch Formation both followed reasonably well exposed outcrops over 0.6 miles (1.0 kilometers) on the west side of the north-south trending Geologists' Canyon (Ross, 1963) and five of the six measured sections in this study also used these same exposures. Section E, however, was measured 0.8 miles (1.2 kilometers) further west in order to capture lateral thickness variation of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation and measures the upper half of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. The uppermost section stratigraphically, Section F, measures 150 feet (46 meters) into prominent carbonate conglomerate beds at the base of the Lenox Hills Formation (Ross, 1963), here termed the Middle Wolfcamp Formation, which are distinct from the coarse carbonate lithologies in the Lower Wolfcamp Formation.

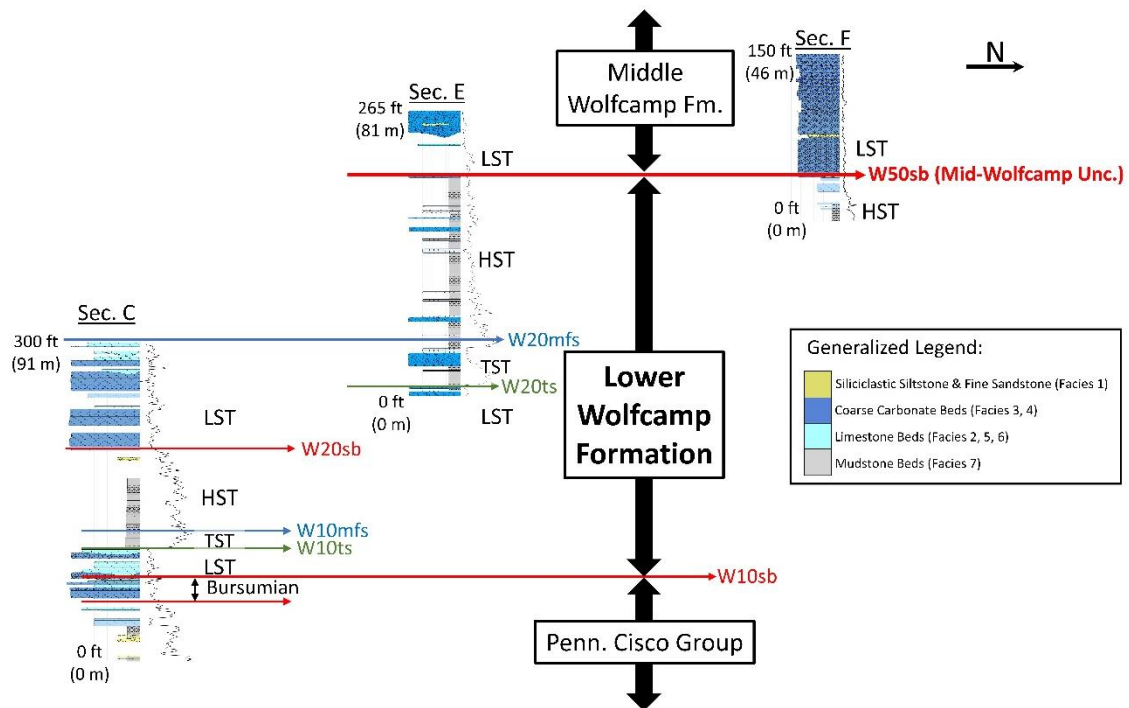


Figure III-8 Three measured sections (C, E, F) used to construct the new composite section for the Lower Wolfcampian. Total gamma ray values show from 0 to 200 API units (higher values are to the right). North is to the right.

Composite Section

These measured sections were combined to create a 622 foot (190 meter) composite section which captures the entire Lower Wolfcamp Formation (Figure III-9). The first section used for the composite, Section C, captures the lower half of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation, the second, Section D, captures the upper half of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation, and the third section for the composite, F, captures the transition to and lowermost stratigraphy of the Middle Wolfcamp Formation. From the base of the stratigraphy, the first 100 feet (30 meters) capture a prominent limestone bedset (the Uppermost Pennsylvanian Gray Limestone Member of King, 1931) which contains the

conglomeratic base of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation, then sharply transitions to a 100 foot (30 meter) thick interval of primarily mudstone beds. This gradually transitions to 115 feet (35 meters) of limestone beds (beds 7 through 11 of Ross, 1963 and beds 9 through 12 of King, 1931), and then ultimately transitions to a 200 foot (60 meter) interval of primarily mudstone beds with some thin, interbedded limestone beds. The Lower Wolfcamp Formation is then, where exposed, sharply and unconformably overlain by the Middle Wolfcamp Formation. Note that total gamma-ray readings are consistently higher in mudstone lithologies (typically 100 to 150 API units) than limestone lithologies (typically 25 to 50 API units). Potassium, thorium and uranium gamma-ray components are all also individually elevated in mudstone lithologies compared with limestone lithologies, although the increases in uranium values are less prominent between lithologies.

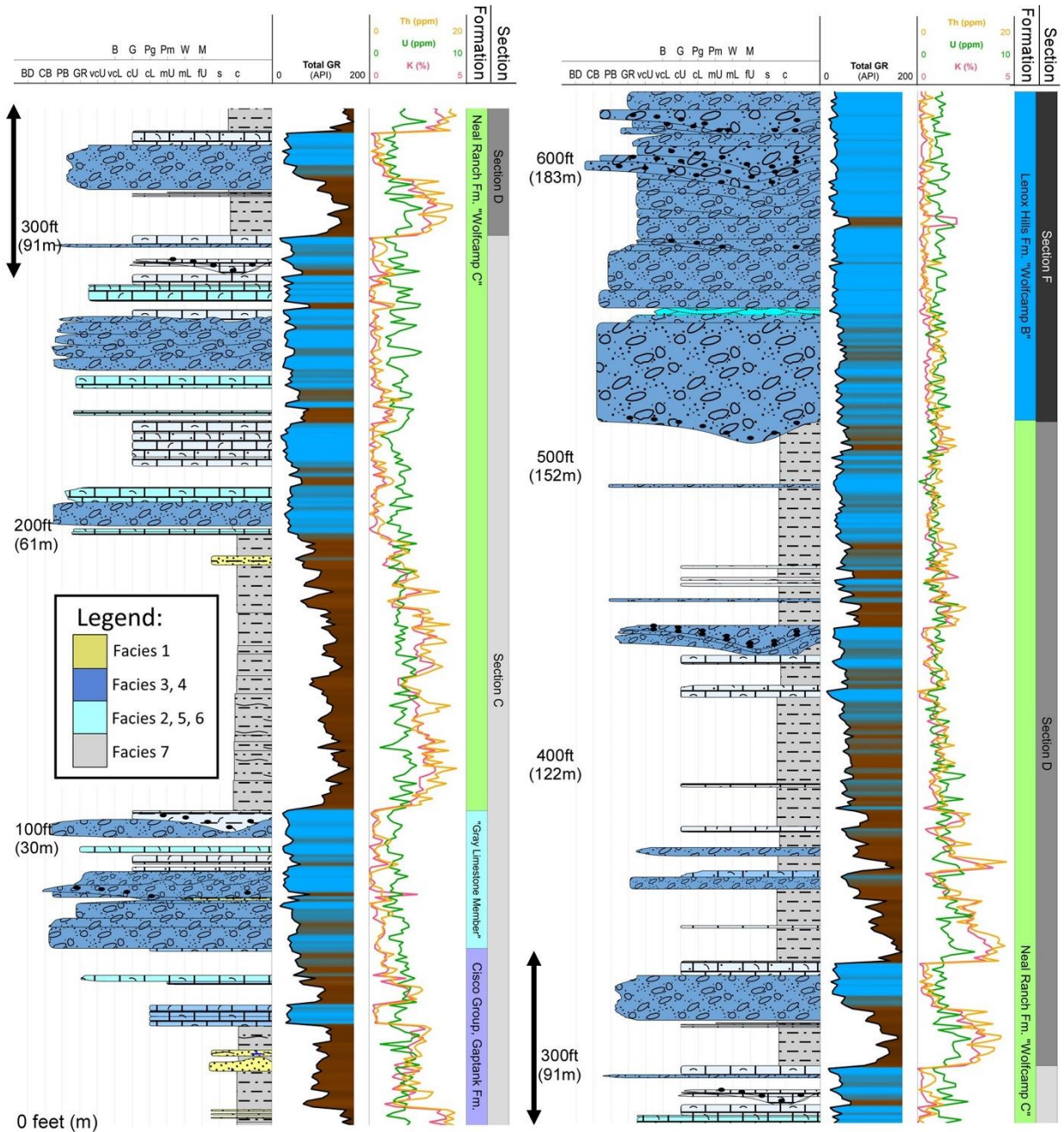


Figure III-9 Composite measured section for the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. Total gamma-ray colored such that low values (<50 API) are blue and higher values (>75 API) are brown. For the spectral gamma-ray track, note that orange is thorium, green is uranium and red is potassium.

Facies

Seven facies are described and interpreted for the Lower Wolfcamp Formation (summarized in Table 1). An eighth facies is a distinct, coarser carbonate-clast conglomerate facies (Facies 4B) occurring only in the basal portion of the Middle Wolfcamp Formation. The facies include 1) siliciclastic siltstone and fine sandstone, 2) phylloid algal boundstone, 3) skeletal rudstone, 4A) red-brown cobble-pebble graded carbonate-clast conglomerate, 4B) light gray boulder-cobble graded carbonate-clast conglomerate, 5) skeletal grainstone, 6) skeletal wackestone and packstone, and 7) siliceous mudstone.

Facies	Description	Interpreted Environment
1) Siliciclastic Siltstone & Fine Sandstone	Light to medium brown and thinly bedded (10's of cm or less). Fine siltstone ($\leq 16\mu$) excluded from facies. Sand grain sizes are fine to very fine. Rare symmetric ripples in outcrop. Thin sections show occasional inclined laminations and normal grading. Interbedded with mudstone. Occasional carbonate cements. Minor carbonate skeletal grains intermixed examples. Massive to faint planar laminations. One bed with plant fossils. Rare in Wolfcamp, common in Pennsylvanian.	Shelfal (potentially hyperpynites), in storm wave base where symmetric ripples present. Plant fragments indicate increased terrestrial input. Lesser quantities mixed with mudstone in basinal setting.
2) Phylloid Algal Boundstone	Phylloid algae (sensu Pray and Wray, 1963) show curvilinear shape, dark color in plane-polarized light in thin section. Fenestral bryozoan and crinoid fragments also observed in thin section. Some mud visible. Potential coatings around algae also observed in hand sample. Non-phylloid algae also present rarely. Re-worked phylloid algal boundstone clasts occurs in Wolfcampian conglomerate beds. Primarily in Pennsylvanian.	Shelfal or isolated upper slope algal mound buildups or their flanks.
3) Skeletal Rudstone	Grains are skeletal or bioclastic, not lithoclasts (sensu Embry and Kloven, 1972). Light to medium grey, weathering orange-brown. Thick bedded (meter scale). Normal grading occurs rarely. Crinoid columnal fragments dominate, some partially articulated but usually completely disarticulated. Matrix is medium to dark grey, consists of smaller (sand-sized) skeletal fragments and carbonate mud. Common.	Near or part of crinoidal banks, or on the flanks of patch reefs, outer shelf environment. Bioclasts likely transported some distance (i.e. not deposited in in-situ growth position).
4A) Gray-Brown Carbonate-Clast Conglomerate	Polymictic, clasts are primarily lithoclasts. Non-imbricated, typically clast supported but floating clasts also found. Clasts are sub-angular to sub-rounded, cobble to pebble sized, often comprised of skeletal packstone or grainstone or phylloid algal boundstone. Traction structures rare to absent. Weathering removes clasts, leaving fissile med. brown matrix. Inconsistently graded, poorly-moderately sorted. Bed bases sharp where exposed. Occurs in several beds through the Lower Wolfcamp.	Marine debris flows resulting from up-dip subaerial erosion of limestones.
4B) Light Gray Carbonate-Clast Conglomerate	Polymictic, similar clasts to Facies 4A but lithoclasts and matrices are lighter in color, and clasts are coarser (cobbles to boulders) and are more thickly bedded. Non-imbricated. Occasional cross bedding, other traction structures rare. Normal grading and sharp base of beds is also more prominent than red-brown pebble-cobble carbonate clast conglomerate beds from Lower Wolfcamp. Some possible red silty interbeds, locally. Exclusive to base of Upper Wolfcamp in single 150 ft+ (46 m+) bedset.	Conglomeratic braided streams or incised valleys, sourced by subaerial erosion of up-dip carbonate factories.
5) Skeletal Grainstone	Skeletal grains are fusulinids and crinoids primarily, secondary bryozoan, algae, brachiopod and bivalve fragments. Generally heterozoan assemblage. Medium grey to medium brown. Crinoid fragments small (<2 mm), disarticulated. Peloidal grainstone beds occur rarely. Occasional quartz grains intermixed, as high as 40% in rare beds (74 ft or 23 m in Section C, within Gray Limestone Member). Occasional normal grading. Beds typically 1 to 4 ft (0.3 - 1.2 m). Common.	Subtidal, medium to high energy grain-rich shoals or patch reefs on middle shelf.
6) Skeletal Wacke- and Packstone	Typically red-brown to medium gray in outcrop. Grains types vary, but heterozoan skeletal grains dominate, especially crinoid and fusulinid fragments. Lesser population of fenestrate bryozoans and gastropods. Rare packstone beds with significant transported phylloid algal content. Minor dolomitization occurs (<10% by volume). Geopetal structures from sediment fill in foraminifera tests. Isolated quartz sand grains. Common, often interbedded with mudstone beds.	Deep subtidal, low energy setting on outer shelf or medium energy on uppermost slope. Downdip from local bioherms or patch reefs.
7) Siliceous Mudstone	Often covered, or slope forming but exposed in local drainages. Freshest exposures show grey-blue color, weathering red-brown with rare, planar laminations. Interbedded with thin, flaggy siltstone and wackestone beds. Thin sections show siliceous sponge spicules, detrital quartz silt, clays and organic matter. Preliminary geochemical analyses show varied composition, but siliceous mudstone (<15% carb., <50% clay) dominates. Common in Lower Wolfcamp & Cisco.	Low energy open marine setting below storm wave base, deposited by hemipelagic plumes on lower slope or in basinal setting.

Table III-1 Summary of all 8 facies with descriptions and interpreted depositional environments.

Note that the limestone and mudstone facies dominate the stratigraphy for the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. Total gamma-ray measurements consistently differentiate gross lithologies, where limestone beds (Facies 2 through 6) are often under 50 API units, whereas siliciclastic siltstone and sandstone beds (Facies 1) typically are between 50 and 100 API units, and mudstone beds (Facies 7) often exceed 100 API units. Siliciclastic siltstone and sandstone beds (Facies 1) and phylloid algal boundstone beds (Facies 2) are more common in the underlying Pennsylvanian Cisco Group. Coarse carbonate facies (with grain diameters exceeding 2mm) are separated between those which are primarily bioclastic (Facies 3, skeletal rudstone) and those which are primarily comprised of lithoclasts (Facies 4, carbonate-clast conglomerate). The carbonate-clast conglomerate facies are split into light gray boulder to cobble carbonate-clast conglomerate (Facies 4A) which only occurs at the base of the Middle Wolfcamp Formation and red-brown cobble to pebble carbonate-clast conglomerate (Facies 4B), which occurs in several locations through the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. Some rudstone beds are almost entirely dominated by crinoid fragments, usually but not always disarticulated (Figure III-10), and could alternately be classified as an encrinite facies (*sensu* Ausich, 1997). Finally, fine siltstone (<16 μ) is distinguished from medium and coarse siltstone (Figure III-11) and instead grouped with mudstone facies. This is similar to the Dunham (1962) classification which also grouped fine silt sized carbonate particles with carbonate mud.



Figure III-10 A) Example of rudstone facies (Facies 3) from outcrop dominated almost entirely by crinoid columnal fragments. Note that bed could also be classified as a coarse encrinite. The term “encrinite” refers to packstones or grainstones composed of >50% crinoidal debris (Ausich, 1997). This particular bed crops out towards the base of Section E (base of interpreted W20 depositional sequence). B) An example of a pebble-cobble conglomerate (Facies 4A) for comparison. Note that it is primarily composed of limestone lithoclasts with rare skeletal bioclasts mixed in.

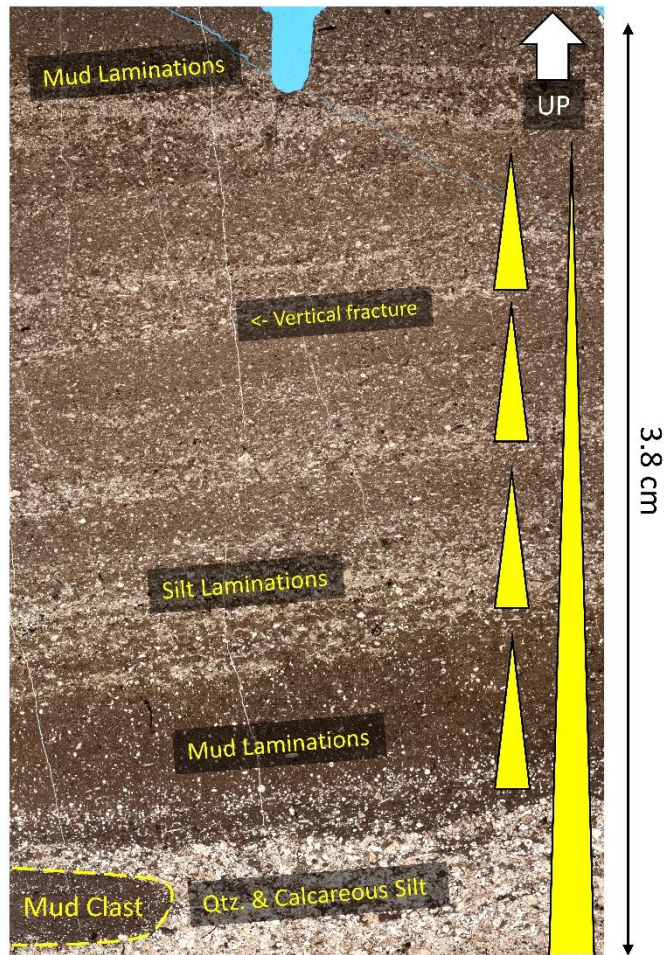


Figure III-11 Thin section (PPL) example of siltstone facies (Facies 7) from thin siltstone bed interbedded with mudstone. Lateral equivalent of measured section C along western edge of Geologists' Canyon. Note inclined laminations which alternate between mud, quartz silt and fine sand. Also note normal grading, and single mud clast at bottom. Notch signifies upward direction.

Description of Major Surfaces

Six surfaces of varying prominence occur within the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. They include four surfaces in which carbonate-clast conglomerate beds (Facies 4A, 4B) sharply overlie limestone (Facies 5, 6) or mudstone facies (Facies 7) and are marked by sharp drops in gamma-ray values (>50 API units where contacts are well

exposed). From the base of the composite section stratigraphy, the surfaces include the onset of carbonate-clast conglomerate beds 59 feet (18 meters) up from the base of the composite section (the base of Uppermost Pennsylvanian Gray Limestone Member), and the onset of another carbonate-clast conglomerate bed 77 feet (23 meters) above the base of the composite section (W10sb, the base of the Wolfcampian). A third, similar surface (W20sb) occurs 200 feet (61 meters) above the base of the composite section, also occurring 10 feet (3 meters) above a significant siltstone bed (Facies 1) enriched in plant fossils. The floral specimens were previously documented in detail (Glasspool et al., 2013) and coincides with Bed 12 of the Neal Ranch Type Section (Ross, 1963). The fourth surface (W50sb), at 512 feet (156 meters), is the most prominent and marks the onset of the Middle Wolfcamp Formation carbonate-clast conglomerate beds which lie unconformably above the Lower Wolfcamp Formation.

Two additional surfaces are distinct in that they mark the sharp onset of thick mudstone intervals (10's of feet, 6 meters or more) above limestone beds and coincide with significant breaks in topography which expose the uppermost planar contact with the underlying limestone beds. The first of these surfaces occurs 105 feet (32 meters) above the base of the composite section (W10ts) and is marked by a very sharp increase in all spectral gamma-ray values, although uranium is somewhat less increased. This occurs at the top of the "Gray Limestone Member" (King, 1931). Another surface occurs approximately 295 feet (90 meters) above the base of the composite section (W20mfs) and also is marked by sharp increases in all gamma-ray values, although again, uranium values increase less sharply than thorium or potassium. The thickness of this mudstone

interval (320-350 feet, 98-107 meters) is less substantial than the previous mudstone interval, it is nonetheless a prominent transition, also coinciding with a major break in topography, and again forming a broad terrace above the preceding limestone bed. This surface shows an extensive but thin (centimeter-scale) iron-oxide crust capping the limestone beds, immediately below the overlying mudstone interval (Figure III-12).

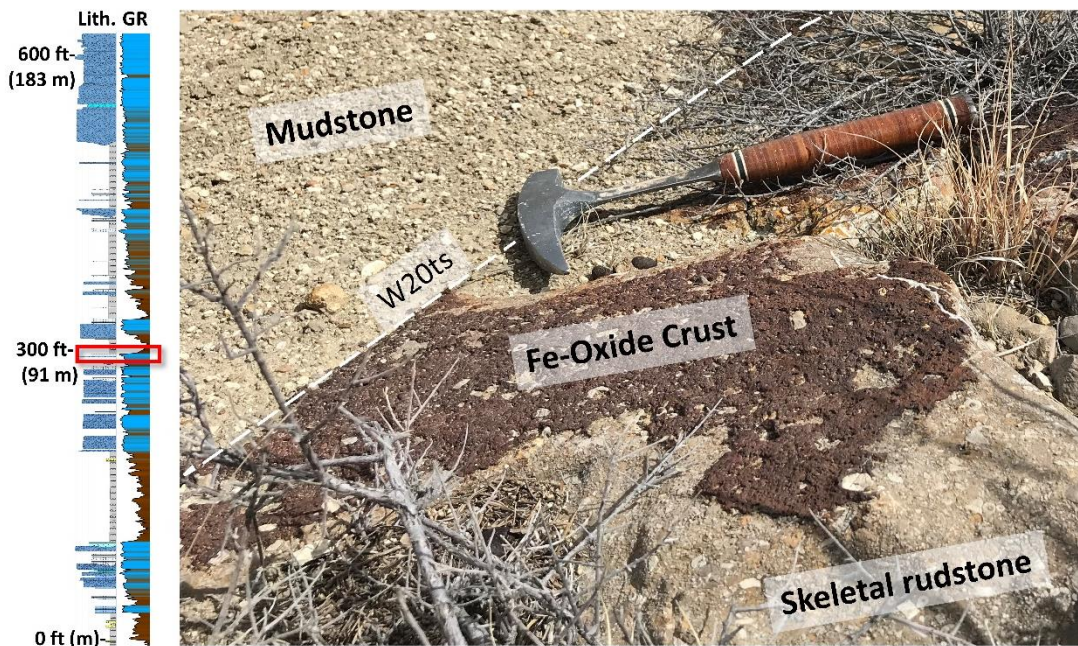


Figure III-12 Prominent mudstone-limestone bed contact occurring at W20 maximum flooding surface (W20mfs). Here, mudstone beds are eroded and slope forming but underlying limestone is intact. Also note iron oxide crust, interpreted as a hardground.

Lateral Thinning of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation

The Lower Wolfcamp Formation thins considerably to the east (Figure III-13). The westernmost section, Section E, shows a 66 foot (20 meter) increase in thickness 0.8 miles (1.2 kilometers) west of Geologists' Canyon in the Wolf Camp Hills, across a north-south trending ephemeral drainage and ranch road. Measurements were made

upwards from a continuous surface (W20mfs), which marks a sudden shift from limestone to mudstone facies and coincides with a sharp break in topography. This surface was walked-out and utilized as a local datum in order to compare sections laterally. Stratal terminations are interpreted at the top of the Lower Wolf Camp Group under the lowermost bedset(s) of off-white carbonate-clast conglomerate beds in the Upper Wolfcamp Group. These stratal terminations are not continuously exposed as the ridge-forming conglomerate from the overlying Middle Wolfcamp Formation sheds clasts and these contacts commonly are obscured.

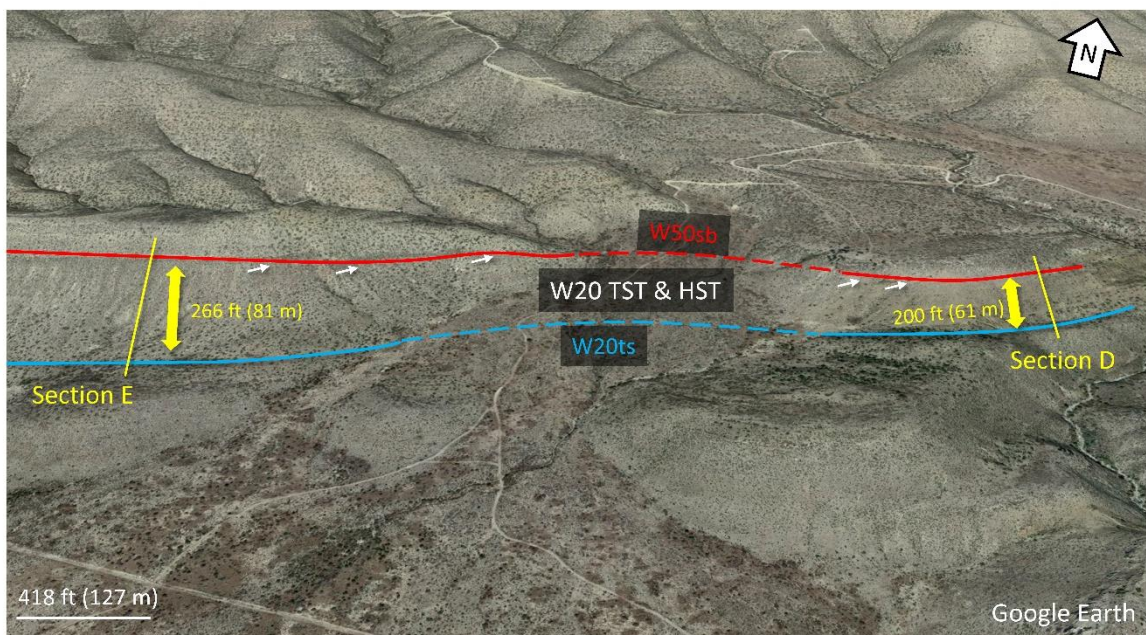


Figure III-13 Oblique view of far west side of Wolf Camp Hills showing eastward thinning of Lower Wolfcamp Formation (W20 depositional sequence) due to differential truncation under the Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity (W50sb). Distance shown for each section is true stratigraphic thickness between transgressive surface below (W20ts) and unconformity above (W20sb). Truncation of W20 depositional sequence under sequence boundary (W50sb) shown with white arrows.

The Lower Wolfcamp Formation also shows thinning of ~51 feet (16 meters) between Section B to the northeast (0.3 miles, or 0.5 kilometers into Geologists' Canyon), and Section C to the southwest (0.15 miles or 0.25 kilometers west of the mouth of Geologists' Canyon). Thinning between Sections B and C is measured down from the local datum (W20mfs) in the middle of Section C and the top of Section B, and coincides with stratal terminations of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation against the underlying "Gray Limestone Member" (King, 1931).

Sharp Transition to Overlying Carbonate-Clast Conglomerate Beds

The Lower Wolfcamp Formation is unconformably overlain by the lowermost bed-set of the Middle Wolfcamp Formation. The overlying conglomerate interval is at least 150 feet (46 meters) thick, and consists of light gray or off-white carbonate-clast conglomerate beds (Facies 4B) outcropping exclusively in this interval, comprised primarily of cobble to boulder sized limestone clasts of various limestone lithologies. The component lithologies in individual clasts often match facies observed in lower limestone beds (e.g., skeletal grainstone, phylloid algal boundstone clasts). Individual beds often show clear grading from boulder- or cobble-sized clasts upwards into pebble-sized clasts (Figure III-14). The contact with the underlying Lower Wolfcamp Formation is very sharp and irregular (Figure III-15), where best exposed shows stratal terminations and relief up to 66 feet (20 meters), but individual clasts create a thick apron or cover of scree below the in-situ Middle Wolfcamp Formation, thereby obscuring this contact across much of the Wolf Camp Hills. The underlying Lower Wolfcamp Formation often

contains reddish brown to orange-brown limestone beds which are distinct in color from the off-white conglomerate beds comprising the Middle Wolfcamp Formation, aiding in inference of the contact where the contact itself is covered. Thin sections of limestone beds (Facies 5) underlying this unconformity contain dissolution features (Figure III-15).

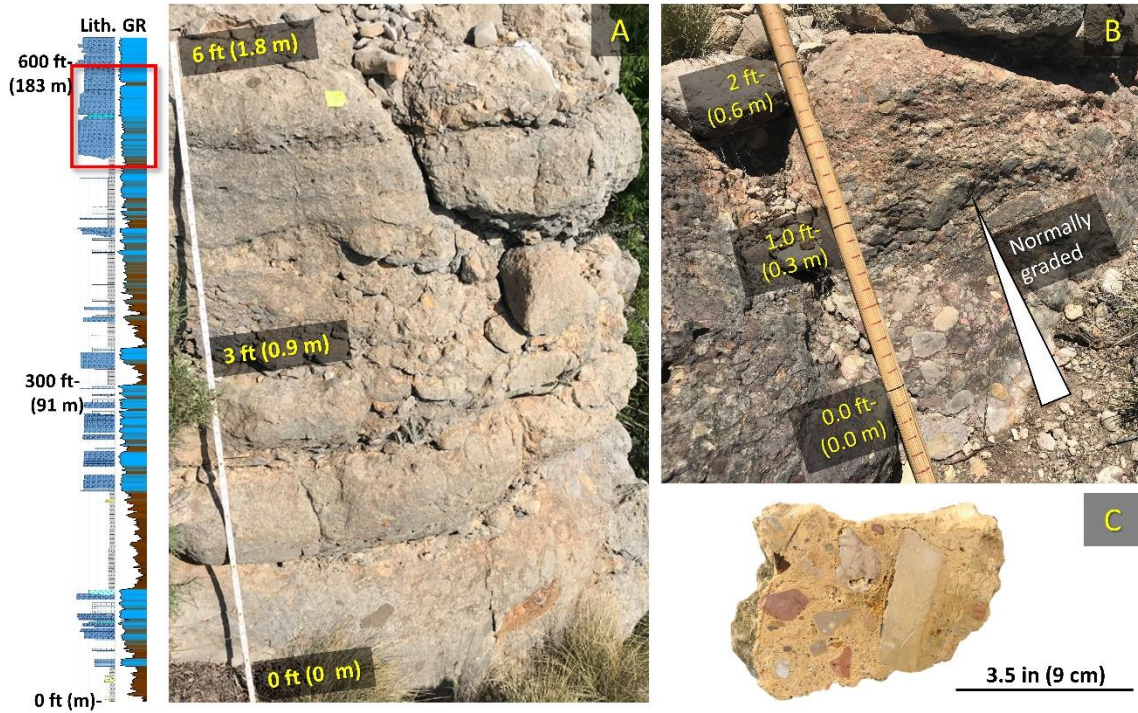


Figure III-14 A) Basal 151 ft+ (46 m) of the basal Middle Wolfcamp Formation composed entirely of light gray carbonate-clast conglomerates (Facies 4B). Note sharp bases of beds. B) Bisected rock face showing grading. C) Polished hand sample with visible, defined lithoclasts.

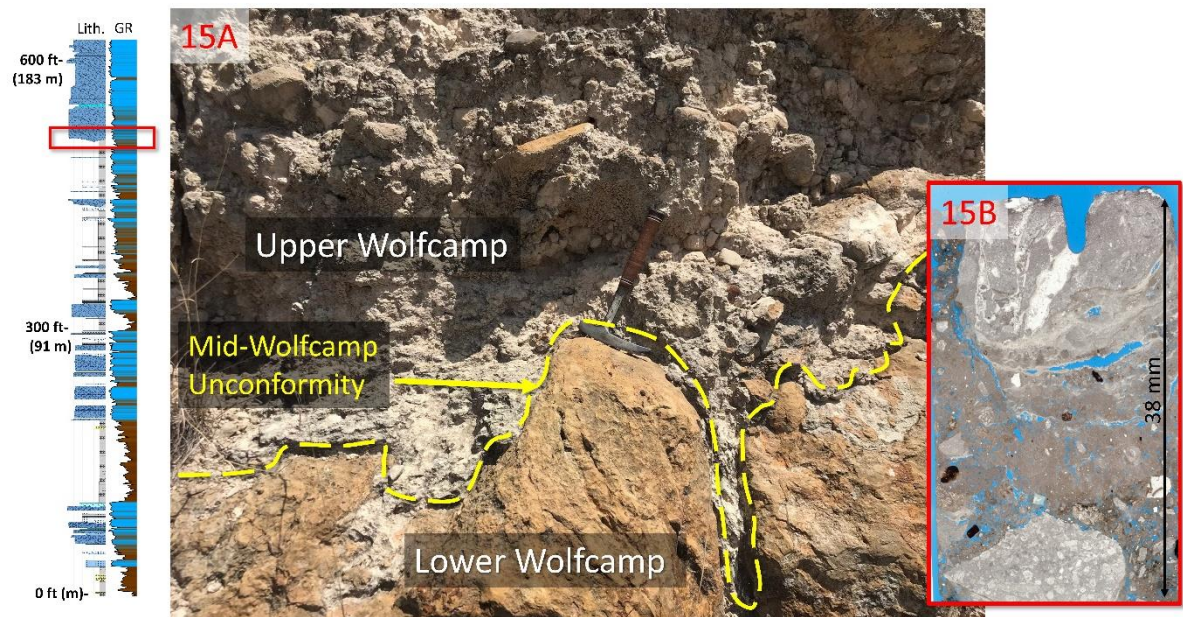


Figure III-15 Exposed contact between Middle and Lower Wolfcamp Formations interpreted as the Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity (W50sb). Underlying lithologies vary from limestone, as shown, to mudstone. Thin section from overlying limestone shows signs of dissolution, potentially reflecting a compound sequence boundary with stepped (repeated) drops in relative sea level.

Discussion

Depositional Profile for the Lower Wolfcampian Southern Shelf

Wolfcampian depositional profiles vary across the greater Permian Basin both as a function of location and through time. In terms of location, Wolfcampian carbonate factories in the Permian Basin region developed in a variety of tectonic settings. This includes the margins of steep, fault-bounded uplifts on the western margin of the Central Basin Platform, or across the low relief Eastern Shelf of Midland Basin (e.g., Dorobek, 1995; Fitchen, 1996). The southern shelf described in this study is unique in the greater Permian Basin in that it formed on the proximal margin of the foredeep associated with the Ouachita-Marathon Thrust system (Ross, 1986). This is the “wedge-top” depozone

described in foreland basins by previous workers (DeCelles and Giles, 1996). Carbonate-platforms classified according to their tectonic setting include so-called “foreland margin platforms” (Bosence, 2005) but they typically are positioned on the distal foredeep, whose shallower depositional profile and reduced sediment input are conducive to carbonate production. Rare examples of carbonate factories on the proximal side of the foredeep include Holocene reefs formed in the Persian Gulf (Purser, 1973) and ancient reefs atop paleo-highs in Cenozoic strata in the southern Pyrenees (Luterbacher et al., 1991). There, paleo-highs conducive to carbonate production were controlled by blind thrust faults created by the advancing orogenic wedge (Luterbacher et al., 1991). Other examples of carbonate factories perched on tectonically controlled (often terraced) paleo-highs on active margins include reef deposits documented in southern Cyprus (Robertson et al., 1991). These examples also closely resemble the “thrust-top platform” model of Bosence (2005) and is consistent with the wedge-top (*sensu* DeCelles and Giles, 1996) tectonic setting of the southern shelf with regards to Ouachita-Marathon foreland system.

Regarding variation in carbonate profiles through the Wolfcampian over time, regional studies in the Permian Basin indicate that Lower Wolfcampian carbonate profiles were more ramp-like, as opposed to the higher relief Upper Wolfcampian carbonate profiles (e.g., Ross, 1987; Mazzullo and Reid, 1989; Sarg, 1989; Candelaria et al., 1992). This is potentially a function of biologically-controlled mound and biohermal tendencies of the lower diversity Lower Wolfcampian carbonate factories (Wahlman, 1988). This study also does not document rimmed margin reef facies, restricted back-

reef facies, or a distinct shelf break. However, this does not explain the ability to transport coarse (>2 mm) lithoclasts observed in the Lower Wolfcamp Formation conglomerate facies (Facies 4A), which often are associated with steeper depositional profiles capable of transporting large clasts. Some studies, however, have described Wolfcampian conglomerate formation associated on moderate relief (<3.5°) slopes (Loucks et al., 1985). Others have documented steep, tectonically-modified Wolfcampian ramps with slopes as high as 7 degrees (Playton and Kerans, 2002) and steep Leonardian ramps with slopes as high as 15 degrees (Fitchen, 1996), both in the Sierra Diablo Mountains.

Therefore, the depositional profile interpreted for the Lower Wolfcamp Formation (Figure III-16) in the Glass Mountains is a unique moderate relief carbonate depositional profile on the Southern Shelf in the most proximal margin of the foredeep (possibly in the wedge-top setting *sensu* Decelles and Giles, 1996), which incorporates carbonate-clast conglomerate deposition. This profile is tectonically controlled and reflects extreme proximity to Ouachita-Marathon orogenic wedge. Carbonate-clast conglomerate deposition can occur in marginal marine environments, as part of shelfal channel complexes or non-marine incised valleys (Facies 4A) for the Middle Wolfcamp Formation, or in open marine debris flows or submarine channels (Facies 4B) for the Lower Wolfcamp Formation. The Lower Wolfcamp Formation records no inner shelf facies potentially reflecting partial erosion of the topset of the depositional profile under the Middle Wolfcamp Formation (*sensu* Donovan et al., 2010). Since the axial foredeep developed downdip from the southern shelf (Ross, 1986), the moderate relief profile

may be distally-steepened further north or northwest, towards the western axial trough of the basin, historically termed the Hovey Channel (McKee and Oriel, 1967). The distal margin of the foredeep, here located on the southern margins of the Sierra Diablo and Central Basin Platforms, is more likely to support a low-relief “foreland margin” carbonate ramp (*sensu* Bosence, 2005).

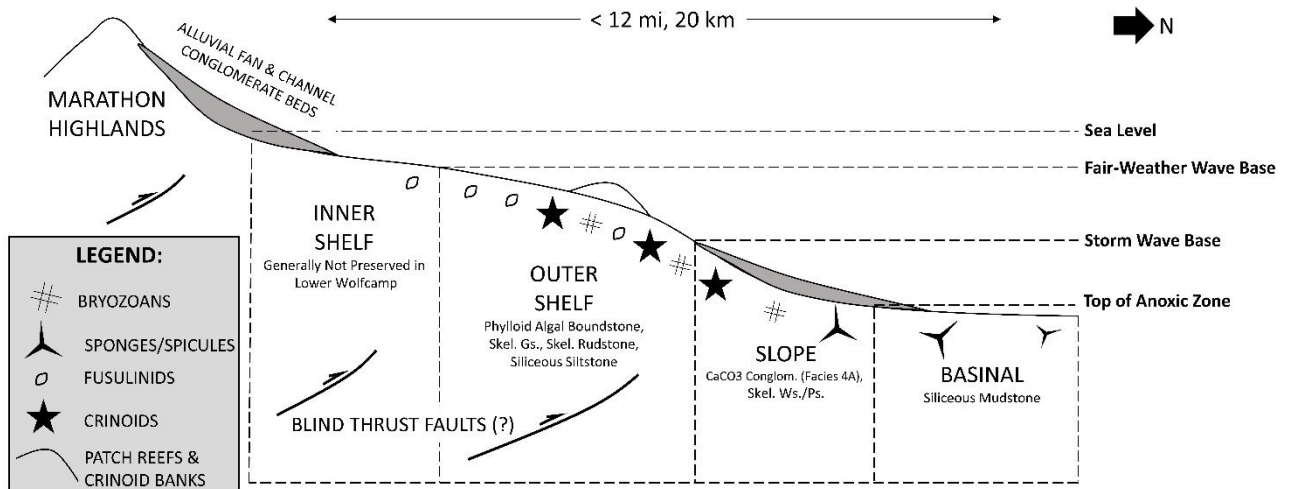


Figure III-16 Schematic moderate relief profile for the Lower Wolfcampian in the Wolf Camp Hills. Angle interpreted as steeper than typical 1° associated with Lower Wolfcampian ramps in order to support transportation of coarse (>2 mm) clasts. This is potentially a function of the tectonic setting on a proximal foreland margin wedge top. The “southern shelf” was narrow (<12 miles or 20 kilometers) as a result of its tectonic setting between the thrust front to the south and the axial trough (foredeep) to the north. During lowstands, sand-sized clastic sediment would mostly bypass the ramp and be deposited in the axial trough (not shown). Subaerial exposure of updip highlands and limestone beds would supply coarse carbonate clasts for short transportation and deposition on the inner shelf. Distal steepening into axial trough is possible but not observed. Modified after Burchette and Wright (1992).

Using this depositional profile (Figure III-16), both carbonate-clast conglomerate facies (Table 1) are interpreted as lowstand facies reflecting drops in relative sea level. The thickly bedded (meter-scale), light gray, boulder to cobble, normally-graded carbonate-clast conglomerate beds (Facies 4A) are only documented at the base of the

Upper Wolfcampian and are not the focus of this study but are tentatively interpreted as possible incised valley or channel complex facies representing extremely proximal, marginal marine (?) depositional environments, consistent with the generalized depositional interpretation by previous workers (e.g., Ross, 1963; Wilde, 1990b; Ross and Ross, 1997). This facies also shows localized high angle cross bedding. These extremely proximal carbonate-clast conglomerate beds sharply overlie an interval of thin, open marine skeletal wackestone and packstone beds (Facies 6) interbedded with mudstone (Facies 7) interpreted as outer shelf or slope facies. The Lower Wolfcamp Formation reddish-brown, cobble to pebble carbonate-clast conglomerate beds with inconsistent grading (Facies 4B) are interpreted as carbonate debris flows, potentially partially channelized, deposited on the upper slope and are only locally erosive, reflecting minor updip subaerial erosion of carbonate factories. These carbonate debris flows (Facies 4A) also sharply overlie outer ramp skeletal wackestone and packstone (Facies 6) and mudstone beds (Facies 7) and also are interpreted as a lowstand response (*sensu* Reijmer et al., 2014). Interpreted debris flow facies are not as proximal or as shallow as the coarser conglomerate facies (Facies 4A) and would therefore represent lower magnitude drops in relative sea level. Rudstone beds could also represent a relative upward shallowing transition where they overlie outer ramp facies. Mudstone (Facies 7) dominated intervals with minor occurrences of skeletal packstone and wackestone beds (Facies 6) are interpreted as transgressive and early highstand facies. Thick skeletal grainstone beds (Facies 5) and associated skeletal packstone beds (Facies 6) are assigned to the middle to late highstand systems tract.

The lack of thick quartz sandstone beds in the Wolf Camp Hills may be due to sediment bypass of sand-sized sediment during regressions, and thick Wolfcampian sandstone deposits are documented downdip in the axial trough of the Val Verde Basin foredeep (Wuellner et al., 1986; Hamlin, 2009). Detrital quartz silt occurs both in rare, thin siltstone beds interbedded with mudstone intervals and as a minor constituent in most limestone facies across all systems tracts. The presence of quartz silt is therefore not diagnostic of relative sea level change, although it may become more commonplace and contain more terrestrial input (e.g., plant material) as relative sea level dropped and deltaic input moved basinward.

Interpretations of Surfaces and Depositional Sequences

Five major surfaces are documented in the Wolf Camp Hills. Of those, four are distinguished chiefly by their sharp transition from interbedded limestone and mudstone beds to carbonate-clast conglomerate beds and their sharp drops in gamma-ray (>50 API units) and are here interpreted as sequence boundaries.

The basal sequence boundary, the base of the Gray Limestone Member, is best documented by the sharp transition to cobble-sized carbonate-clast conglomerate beds (Facies 4A, at 59 feet or 18 meters) in Section C, and caps the *Uddenites* ammonite zone and mudstone interval of the Pennsylvanian Gaptank Formation. This mudstone interval thins and thickens laterally (Section A compared with Section C) providing evidence of differential truncation or erosion. This surface also was documented by recent study of the underlying Pennsylvanian Gaptank Formation (Sleight et al., 2020, in review). This

boundary (the base of the Gray Limestone Member) also was recognized as an erosional sequence boundary representing the base of the Newwellian stage (formerly the Bursumian stage) by previous workers (e.g., Ross and Ross, 2003) but is no longer recognized as the base of the Permian. This study recognizes this basal surface as an erosional sequence boundary defining the base of the Uppermost Pennsylvanian.

The second interpreted sequence boundary, W10sb, occurs towards the top of, but within the prominent “Gray Limestone Member” at 77 feet (23 meters), at the sharp base of a carbonate-clast conglomerate bed (Facies 4A). The base of this conglomerate was previously recognized as an unconformity at the base of the Wolfcampian (Ross, 1963) and a likely candidate for the base of Asselian stage (Ross and Ross, 1987).

The third interpreted sequence boundary, W20sb also is marked by a transition to a carbonate-clast conglomerate bed (Facies 4A) at 200 feet (61 meters) above the base of the Composite Section. This conglomerate bed occurs 10 feet (3 meters) above a prominent siltstone bed (Facies 1) commonly featuring plant fossils that is interpreted as a prodelta turbidite or hyperpycnite (Mulder et al., 2003; Plink-Björklund and Steel, 2004; Saller et al., 2006; Glasspool et al., 2013; Baumgardner et al., 2016). The floral assemblage is interpreted as the initiation of enhanced terrestrial input associated with the early stages of a relative drop in sea level, followed by updip subaerial erosion of carbonate factories which source the polymictic clasts ultimately deposited in the carbonate-clast conglomerate beds (Facies 4A) interpreted as open marine debris flows. This interpreted sequence boundary occurs near a biostratigraphically defined unconformity marking the base of the Sakmarian stage inferred by previous workers

(Wardlaw and Davydov, 2000; Wardlaw and Nestell, 2019). Therefore, this surface (W20sb) is interpreted as a sequence boundary approximately marking the base of the Sakmarian stage.

The fourth sequence boundary, W50sb, is the most significant sequence boundary, marking a sharp transition from beds of Facies 5 (Skeletal Grainstone), Facies 6 (Skeletal Wackestone & Packstone), and Facies 7 (Mudstone), interpreted as outer ramp, open marine facies, to Facies 4B, interpreted as an extremely proximal channel or incised valley facies. Not only does the rapid basinward shift in facies satisfy the traditional definition of a sequence boundary (e.g., Mitchum et al., 1977; Van Wagoner et al., 1987; Van Wagoner et al., 1988), but the magnitude of the shift in facies from is a Waltherian proxy for the magnitude of the relative sea level change in this area (likely > 100 m) and therefore very likely tectonically-enhanced. This supports the findings of Ross (1986) who concludes that the basal unconformity of the Upper Wolfcamp was related to the Dugout Creek thrusting, the last major Marathon-Ouachita orogeny-associated thrust faulting event in the area. Furthermore, a single prominent Mid-Wolfcampian erosional event was noted in the Sierra Diablo Mountains where it's associated with the Pow-Wow Conglomerate (King, 1965; Fitchen, 1997), and using seismic data on the Central Basin Platform (Candelaria et al., 1992). This boundary traditionally was called the "Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity" (MWU) and often was interpreted as the transition between the Asselian and Sakmarian stages (Ross and Ross, 1988; Candelaria et al., 1992) although recent zircon geochronology of bentonite beds in the Upper Wolfcampian in the subsurface (Tian, 2020, in review) confirm that the Upper

Wolfcampian extends to at least 287 Ma, currently considered mid-Artinskian stage (Lucas and Shen, 2018; Cohen et al., 2013). Similarly, recent conodont work (Wardlaw and Nestell, 2019) places the base of the Artinskian in the Glass Mountains at approximately the base of the Lenox Hills (Wardlaw and Nestell, 2019). This surface (W50sb) is therefore identified as a likely equivalent of the Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity (MWU) identified in the Sierra Diablo Mountains and on the Central Basin Platform, and as potentially marking the base of the Artinskian stage.

An interpreted transgressive surface (W10ts) occurs at a major break in topography at the top of the “Gray Limestone Member” of King (1931) and beneath a thick (10’s of feet, several meters) mudstone interval. The transition from shallow marine limestone beds (Facies 5 and 6) to deep-water marine mudstone beds (Facies 7) is very sharp, and the complete absence of limestone beds above the surface is indicative of a fundamental shift in depositional environment in which limestone deposition ceased, from a shallow marine or shelfal setting to a lower-slope or basinal setting. The overlying mudstone beds are interpreted as onlapping the underlying “Gray Limestone Member” (King, 1931). The extremely sharp inflection in total gamma-ray measurements (>50 API unit increase) here mirrors the sudden shift in lithology. A second interpreted transgressive surface (W20ts) occurs at a major break in topography (forming a narrow ledge along strike) above “Bed 12” of King (1931), over which a thick mudstone interval forms an oblique view of the overlying mudstone interval. A prominent iron-oxide crust marks the surface and is interpreted as a hardground, forming during the maximal rate of marine transgression (e.g., Posamentier and Vail, 1988; Pope

and Read, 1997). The mudstone interval (300-400 feet or 91-128 meters, in the composite section) is more interbedded with minor siltstone (Facies 1) and limestone (Facies 5 and 6) beds than the first major mudstone interval (105-295 feet, 32-90 meters), potentially reflecting a lower-magnitude relative sea level rise.

These surfaces lend themselves toward interpretation of a relative sea level curve (Figure III-17) and three Lower Wolfcamp Formation depositional sequences across the western Wolf Camp Hills (Figure III-18). The system contains both stratal and composition mixing, at multiple scales (*sensu* Chiarella et al., 2017). Specific eustatic interpretations are difficult to interpret given the heavy overprint of tectonic effects associated with the proximity to the Ouachita-Marathon thrust front. The lowermost depositional sequence (W01) in the Lower Wolfcamp Formation is defined by the lower two sequence boundaries (W01sb and W10sb), which approximates the “Gray Limestone Member” (King, 1931). This sequence lacks an obvious internal flooding or maximum flooding surface which would facilitate the internal definition of systems tracts. The second depositional sequence (W10) includes conglomerate beds (Facies 4A) at its base interpreted as a lowstand systems tract (LST), capped by a prominent transgressive surface (W10ts) and a thick mudstone interval which slowly grades into limestone beds, interpreted as a combined transgressive and highstand system tract. A maximum flooding surface (W10mfs) is defined by the highest gamma-ray values within the mudstone interval. The third and final depositional sequence (W20) begins with a thick (100 foot, or 30 meter) interval dominated by skeletal rudstone (Facies 3) and carbonate-clast conglomerate (Facies 4A) beds interpreted as a LST, capped by a

flooding surface (W20ts) and a mixed lithology succession interpreted as a TST (transgressive systems tract). The interpreted LST tract contains numerous conglomerate beds (Facies 4B) and thin sections show potential dissolution effects internally, suggesting a stepped (rather than smooth) drop in relative sea level. This is capped by a prominent maximum flooding surface (W20mfs) and mudstone-rich interval interpreted as an early HST. Then, a thick interval of thinly bedded skeletal wackestone, packstone and grainstone beds (Facies 5 and 6) is interpreted as late HST, before truncation beneath the high relief (at least 66 feet, or 20 meters) Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity (W50sb). Finally, the light grey to off-white boulder-sized carbonate-clast conglomerate beds (Facies 4B) overlying the Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity are interpreted as the expression of the basal LST of the Upper Wolfcamp Group.

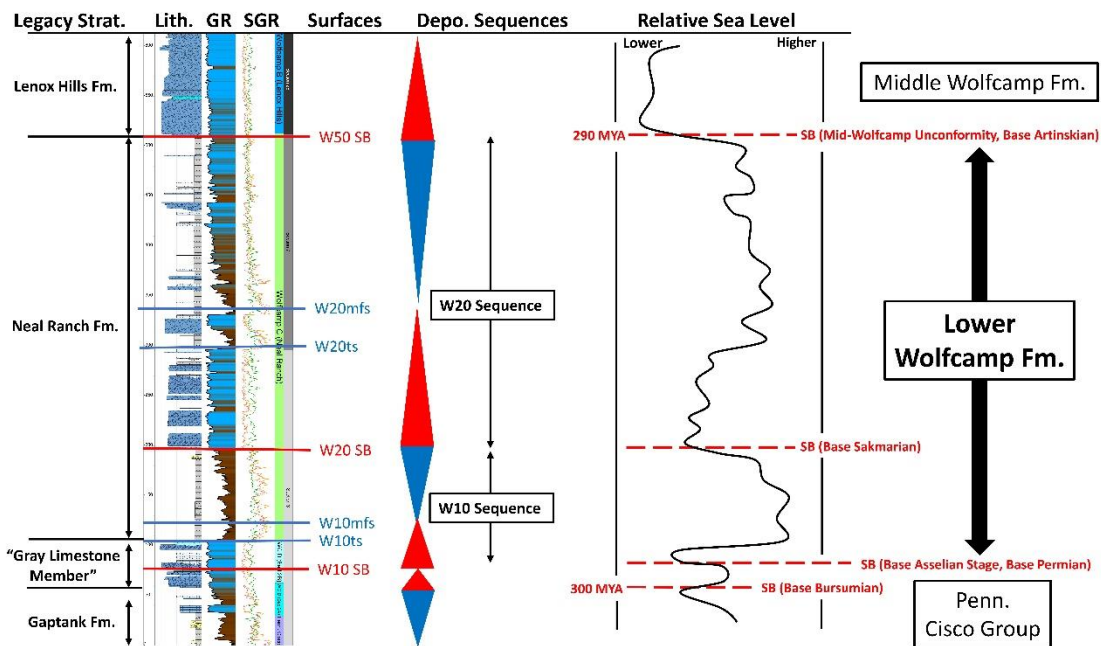


Figure III-17 Relative long term (3rd-order) sea level curve inferred through interpretation of facies and surfaces through the Lower Wolfcampian. Shown with composite section, depositional sequences, and tentative stage boundaries. Note that true eustasy is difficult to

deconvolve from tectonic effects given the proximity to the thrust front. Also note that curve generally aligns with later curves by Ross and Ross (2003).

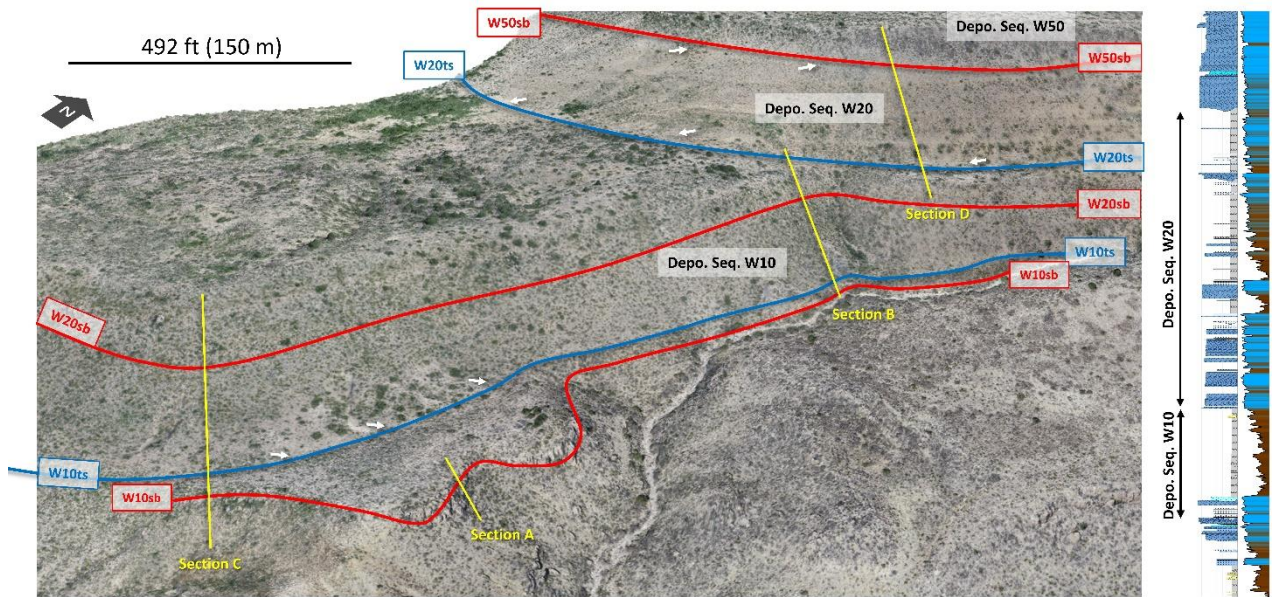


Figure III-18 Drone photogrammetry documenting major surfaces, include onlap surface (W10ts) of Lower Wolfcampian mudstones (base of W10 depositional sequence) on the underlying “Gray Limestone Member” (W01 depositional sequence). The upper interpreted transgressive surface (W20ts) overlies “Bed 12” of King (1931) and is also shown.

The Lower Wolfcampian, approximately correlative with the Asselian and Sakmarian Stages (Ross and Ross, 1987; Wardlaw and Davydov, 2000; Ross and Ross, 2003), would have a duration of 8.80 ± 0.41 Ma (Cohen et al., 2013). The depositional sequences would therefore likely be on the order of 1 to 5 Ma, each. This also depends on the duration of non-deposition between sequences and the amount of eroded stratigraphy, as well as relative differences in duration between the three depositional sequences. Nonetheless, the interpreted cyclicity would fit within the defined range for 3rd-order sequences (Goldhammer et al., 1991). However, the number of sequences

identified in this study is less than findings by some previous workers. Candelaria et al. (1992) identified four 3rd-order Wolfcampian sequences below the Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity on the Central Basin Platform and Ross (1997) identified three to four 3rd-order sequences in the Lower Wolfcampian of the Glass Mountains, dependent on the location.

Lateral Thinning and Truncation under the Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity

The Lower Wolfcamp Formation thins considerably from west to east across the Wolf Camp Hills, with at least 50 feet (15 meters) of thinning above the interpreted flooding surface (W20ts) used as a local datum. This lateral thinning trend also was noted by previous workers (Ross and Ross, 1997; Ross and Ross, 2003). The surface (W50sb) shows distinct truncation of strata under the exposed contact and is supported by thin-section-based evidence (Figure III-15) for dissolution of underlying limestone beds, potentially indicative of subaerial exposure and karsting. The 66 feet (20 meters) of lateral thinning across the Wolf Camp Hills beneath the interpreted sequence boundary (W50sb) also provides a lower bound on the amplitude of relative sea level change associated with this major surface.

Thinning of at least 50 additional feet (15 meters) occurs below the local datum (W20ts) against the top of the underlying “Gray Limestone Member” (W10ts) between Section C (westward) and Section B (eastward). These lap-out relationships are documented by drone photogrammetry, and interpreted as on-lap of the Lower Wolfcamp Formation onto the Latest Pennsylvanian “Gray Limestone Member”. These drone-photogrammetry interpretations of thinning due to truncation at the top of the

Lower Wolfcamp Formation and onlap at its base support the interpretations of major differential erosion by Ross and Ross (1995; 2003).

Conclusions

This study presents a new 622 foot (190 meter) composite type section and spectral gamma-ray curve for the Lower Wolfcamp Formation at its type locality in the Wolf Camp Hills in Brewster County, Texas. The formation's strata are comprised of seven lithofacies, dominated by carbonate lithologies which are interbedded with marine mudstone intervals. A variety of coarse carbonate facies occur, including skeletal rudstone beds and carbonate-clast conglomerate beds, the latter of which occur at the base of each depositional sequence and are interpreted as LST deposits. The coarsest and most prominent carbonate-clast conglomerate facies only occurs at the base of the Middle Wolfcamp Formation. Detrital quartz sand is rare, potentially reflected bypass of sand-sized sediment during LST into the axial foredeep, though it is also intermixed with limestone facies. Four sequence boundaries are interpreted; the most prominent in outcrop being the Mid-Wolfcamp Unconformity (W50sb), which is potentially tectonically enhanced and results in differential (eastward) truncation. Two depositional sequences are interpreted within the Lower Wolfcamp Formation (W10 and W20), both of which feature prominent flooding surfaces with distinct high gamma-ray mudstone intervals interpreted as TSTs and initial HSTs. These sequences also record a relative shallowing of facies within the formation. Notably, the tectonic setting for the carbonate factories on the proximal southern shelf, adjacent to axial foredeep creating by the Marathon orogeny, is unique in the Greater Permian Basin.

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CHAPTER IV CORRELATING THE WOLFCAMP GROUP STRATA ACROSS THE
SUBSURFACE OF THE SOUTHERN PERMIAN BASIN AND INTO THE GLASS
MOUNTAINS OUTCROPS, WEST TEXAS

Abstract

The term “Wolfcamp” is used across the Greater Permian Basin, but its internal lithostratigraphic units (Wolfcamp A, B, C and D), as well as its boundaries, vary across the region among and within companies, academia, and government agencies. To provide the first regionally consistent chronostratigraphic framework across the Greater Permian Basin, several regionally correlative sequence stratigraphic surfaces were identified in core, correlated regionally, and tied into the classic Glass Mountains outcrops, where both the Wolfcamp and Leonard Groups were originally defined.

The base of the Wolfcamp Group is defined inconsistently in the literature, but this study identifies a sequence boundary (W01sb) at the base of the Wolfcamp Group in outcrop and in the subsurface. In outcrop, the W01sb is placed at the base of the conglomerate within the Gray Limestone Unit. The base of the Leonard Group (Ln01sb) in this study is placed at the base of the Bone Spring Formation in Delaware Basin, the base of the Dean Formation in Midland Basin, and at the base of the Sullivan Peak Member of the Skinner Ranch Formation in outcrop. This new regional chronostratigraphic framework allows correlations that indicate significant thickening and thinning of the Lowermost Wolfcamp Group, which is related to accommodation and sediment supply associated with Ouachita-Marathon thrusting. Additionally, the top

of the Wolfcamp Group is documented in a structural map using subsurface and outcrop control points, and it indicates a steep depositional profile (20° slope) adjacent to the Southern Shelf in Delaware Basin. This slope is likely steepened as a result of its proximity to the Marathon-Ouachita thrust front.

Introduction

Historically, the Early Permian Wolfcamp Group (Figure IV-1) was studied in limestone-rich, relatively proximal Glass Mountains outcrops (e.g., Udden, 1917; King, 1931; Ross, 1963), and separately in the more mudstone-rich basinal subsurface (e.g., Hall, 1956; Jackson, 1964; Wilshire et al., 1972, Hills, 1984). Although the earliest workers did use limited well data, primarily cuttings, available near the Glass Mountains outcrops (e.g., King, 1931) to aid in the determination of gross lithologies and as a source of fusulinids, they lacked the tools to correlate individual stratigraphic surfaces into the subsurface. Later attempts to connect the Glass Mountains Lower Permian outcrops with the subsurface were limited to the use of sparse fusulinid data which is susceptible to reworking (King, 1980; Bloom, 1988). More well logs were used to correlate the outcrop strata to the subsurface, but focused on the imbricate thrust sheets in southwestern and central Pecos County, very close to the Glass Mountains (Wilde, 1990). Modern handheld gamma-ray spectroscopy data from the Glass Mountains outcrops, in conjunction with recent subsurface data (cores and wireline logs) in southern Delaware and Midland Basins, present a unique opportunity to correlate the Wolfcamp Group from an extremely proximal thrust-front, limestone-rich setting into

the comparatively deep Delaware and Val Verde Basin subsurface for integration into a regional framework.

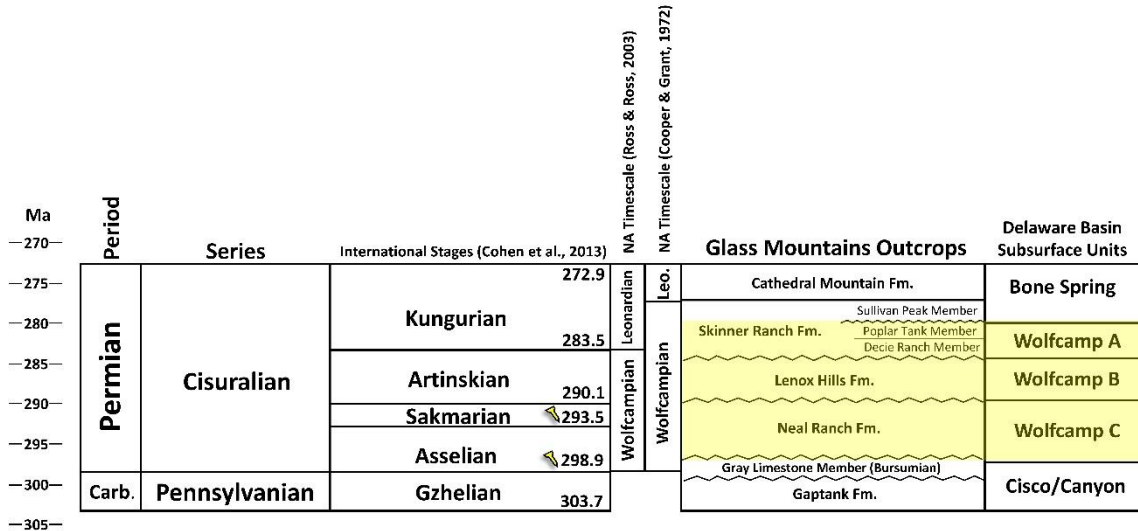


Figure IV-1 Stratigraphic chart for the Lower Permian Wolfcamp Group in outcrop, with international stages, as well as Delaware Basin subsurface divisions. International stage ages from (Cohen et al., 2013; Lucas and Shen, 2018), note that the base of the Asselian and Sakmarian have defined GSSPs. Historically proposed North American Stages shown (Cooper and Grant, 1972; Ross and Ross, 2003). Note that this paper defers to International Stages (Cohen et al., 2013) and does not refer to Wolfcampian as a stage or series.

The physiography of the Early Permian varied considerably across the greater Permian Basin (Figure IV-2), wherein the Eastern Shelf of Midland Basin was especially well studied (Hills, 1942; Rall and Rall, 1958; Van Siclen, 1958; Jackson, 1964; Brown, 1990; Holterhoff, 2010; Sinclair, 2017). This is because of both the abundance of extremely spatially (laterally) dense well data and the low relief (100’s of feet) nature of the Eastern Shelf. Early workers, using only this dense well data (Rall and Rall, 1958; Van Siclen, 1958), recognized chronostratigraphic surfaces in the Upper Pennsylvanian and Lower Permian strata separating individual clinofolds prior to the advent of modern

seismic stratigraphy. They recognized that in-situ, proximal carbonate factories or reefs grade into siliciclastic-rich basinal deposits and this led to the development of the “reciprocal sedimentation model” (Van Siclen, 1958; Wilson, 1967). Importantly, clastic deposits in the basin need not be siliciclastic-rich and can instead be comprised of carbonate sediments (Hobson et al., 1985; Reijmer et al., 2012; Kvale et al., 2020), especially in the form of carbonate debrites. Carbonate turbidites, debrites, and hybrid-event beds commonly occur in the basinal Wolfcamp, although their exact relationship with eustasy as a control is not fully understood (Hobson et al., 1985; Kvale et al., 2020).

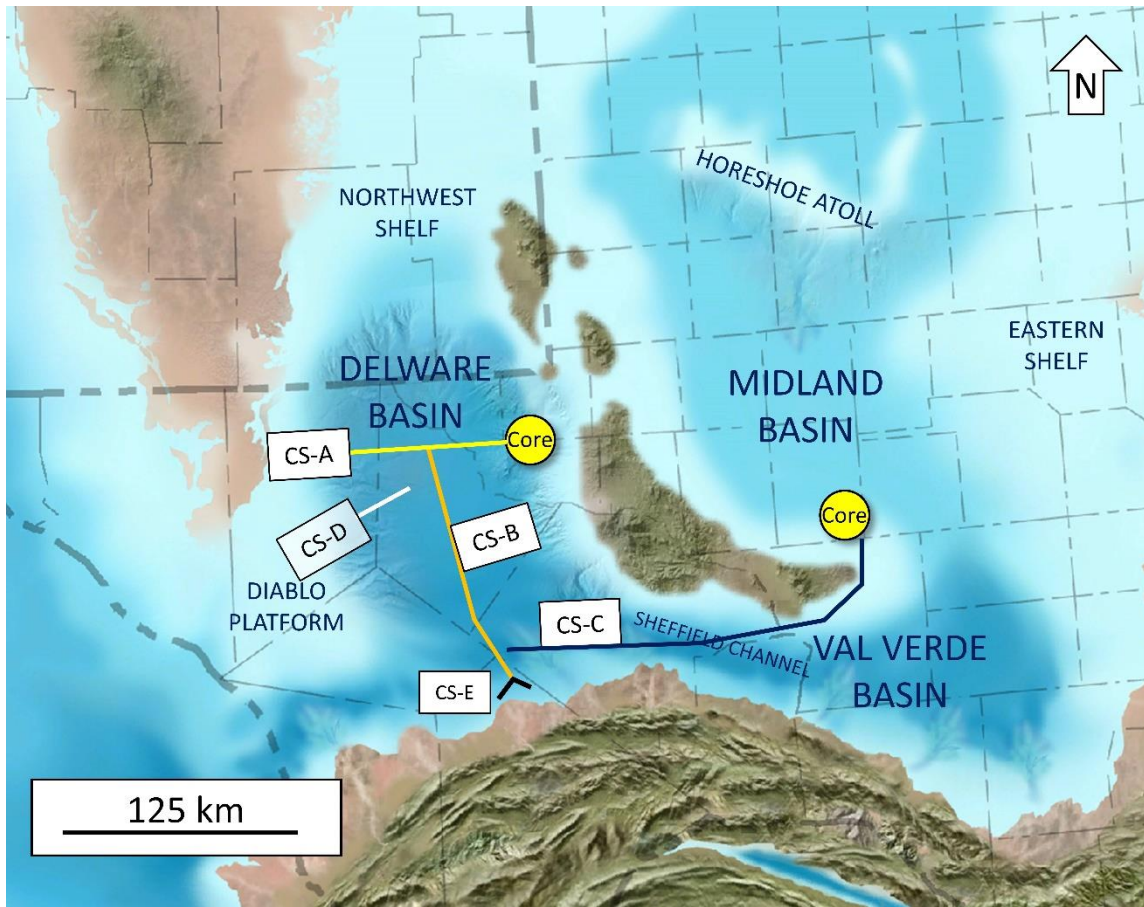


Figure IV-2 Map of the Permian Basin at 295 Ma (Blakey, 2019). Cross sections tie to cores in Delaware and Midland Basins (Cross Sections A and C), with the Glass Mountains outcrops (Cross Section E).

Compared to the Eastern Shelf of Midland Basin, the southernmost Delaware and Val Verde Basins were far less studied, and are much more structurally complex due to their proximity to the Ouachita-Marathon thrust belt (Hall, 1956; King, 1980; Ewing, 1985; Ross, 1986; Wuellner et al., 1986; Yang and Dorobek, 1995; Hamlin, 2009). Furthermore, most classic correlations between Delaware and Midland Basins go across the Central Basin Platform, where strata change facies, as well as lap out, making high-confidence correlations between the Delaware and Midland basins extremely difficult

(Matchus and Jones, 1984) We generated and correlated a regional well-log cross section that was routed through the deeper portions of the Greater Permian Basin through the Delaware, Val Verde and Midland Basins where the Wolfcamp Group could be defined and correlated across the study area. To that end, this study delineates chronostratigraphically-significant surfaces (log markers) interpreted primarily as transgressive and maximum flooding surfaces, from the Glass Mountains into the proximal and distal subsurface. By determining which strata are contemporaneous between Delaware, Val Verde, and Midland Basins, as well as in the type locality outcrops in the Glass Mountains, this study provides a relative chronostratigraphic framework into which absolute age dates (e.g. data from Thermal Ionization Mass Spectrometry, performed on bentonite-derived zircon grains) could be defined and extrapolated across the Greater Permian Basin (e.g., H. Tian, 2020, personal communication). Additionally, potentially unique chemostratigraphic signatures of the various Latest Pennsylvanian and Earliest Permian mudstone intervals, using X-Ray Fluorescence and isotope data derived from outcrop or well samples, might also be used to test and refine this framework (e.g., Gutierrez et al., *in prep*).

Geologic Setting

The Greater Permian Basin formed when, over the course of the Carboniferous and into the Early Permian, the previous Tobosa Basin (passive margin) evolved into a foreland basin and began to tectonically subdivide into distinct sub-regions, especially associated with the uplift of the Central Basin Platform and the extremely pronounced

subsidence of Delaware Basin (Galley, 1958; Adams, 1965; Hills, 1984). The resulting configuration was termed a composite foreland basin (Yang and Dorobek, 1995) with several sub-basins and uplifts. Major physiographic features from west to east include the Diablo Uplift or Platform to the far west, the deep Delaware Basin or Sub-Basin, the Central Basin Platform, the comparatively shallow Midland Basin or Sub-Basin, and the broad, shallowly dipping westward-dipping Eastern Shelf. Other features include the Northwest Shelf north of Delaware Basin, the San Simon Channel connecting the Delaware and Midland Basins north of the Central Basin Platform, the Sheffield Channel connecting the Delaware and Midland Basins south of the Central Basin Platform, and the Hovey Channel connecting the Delaware Basin to open marine waters in the southwest (Hills, 1942; Galley, 1958; Adams, 1965). Finally, the Val Verde Basin or Sub-Basin at the far southern end of Delaware Basin and the Central Basin Platform is a particularly deep region filled with thick syntectonic Pennsylvanian and Permian siliciclastic strata and roughly approximating the foredeep adjacent to the Ouachita-Marathon thrust front (Ross, 1986; Wuellner et al., 1986, Hamlin, 2009).

The Greater Permian Basin was located in western equatorial Pangea after the Carboniferous collision of the Laurasia and Gondwana (Scotese et al., 1979) and the onset of the Permian (coinciding with the start of the Wolfcampian Series) occurred during peak icehouse conditions, wherein extensive glaciation resulted in high-amplitude eustasy (Fielding et al., 2008; Rygel et al., 2008; Isbell et al., 2012, Montañez and Poulsen, 2013; Montañez et al., 2016). This eustatic signal is superimposed on tectonic trends in subsidence associated with the northward directed Ouachita-Marathon thrusting

(Hills, 1984). The intensity of tectonism likely declined over the course of the Wolfcampian (Ross, 1986). The Earliest Permian also coincided with a transition to a more arid climate (Tabor et al., 2008; DiMichele et al., 2010, Tabor, 2013).

Sedimentation patterns also varied greatly across the Greater Permian Basin with multiple siliciclastic sediment sources depositing in different sub-regions at different times through the Permo-Carboniferous (Hamlin, 2009; Liu and Stockli, 2020, Soto-Kerans, 2020). Specifically, the Ouachita-Marathon thrusting resulted in massive subsidence and subsequent thick deposition, exceeding 10,000 feet in places (Hamlin, 2009), in Val Verde Basin immediately northeast of the thrust front, with the axial trough running roughly northwest to south-east from Pecos County to Terrell County (Wuellner et al., 1986). These sandstone-rich basinal deposits are primarily concentrated in the Pennsylvanian and Lower Wolfcampian and were interpreted as synorogenic (Wuellner et al., 1986; Hamlin et al., 1992; Johnson et al., 1998). Later deposits (Leonardian to Guadalupian) have been shown to have significantly lower sediment contributions from southern sources associated with the thrusting south of Delaware Basin (Liu and Stockli, 2020).

Previous Work

The base of the Wolfcampian Series and the Permian Period (Figure IV-1) is contested in outcrop (King, 1931; Ross, 1963, Wardlaw and Davydov, 2000; Lucas, 2013; Sims and Belanger, 2021) and in the subsurface (Jones, 1975; Wilde, 1975; King, 1980). Of particular relevance to this study, the base of the Wolfcamp in the subsurface is picked inconsistently (Figure IV-3). Some workers have included all the strata above

the top of the Middle Pennsylvanian (Desmoinesian) Strawn Formation within the Wolfcamp Group (Sinclair et al., 2017; Barrick and Wahlman, 2019), effectively conceding that the classic Upper Pennsylvanian Cisco and Canyon outcrop equivalents (Adams, 1951) are being grouped with the overlying Wolfcamp Group in the basin. Fusulinid and conodont age control from the strata immediately above the Strawn confirm them as belonging to the Upper Pennsylvanian (Hobson et al., 1985; Barrick and Wahlman, 2019). In this study, we differentiate the Upper Pennsylvanian (Cisco and Canyon equivalents) and trace the overlying base Wolfcamp Group unconformity into the subsurface, thereby excluding these Upper Pennsylvanian strata from the Wolfcamp Group (Figure IV-4). In summary, in this study, Upper Pennsylvanian sediments (overlying the Middle Pennsylvanian Strawn Formation) were excluded from the overlying Wolfcamp Group (Figure IV-4).

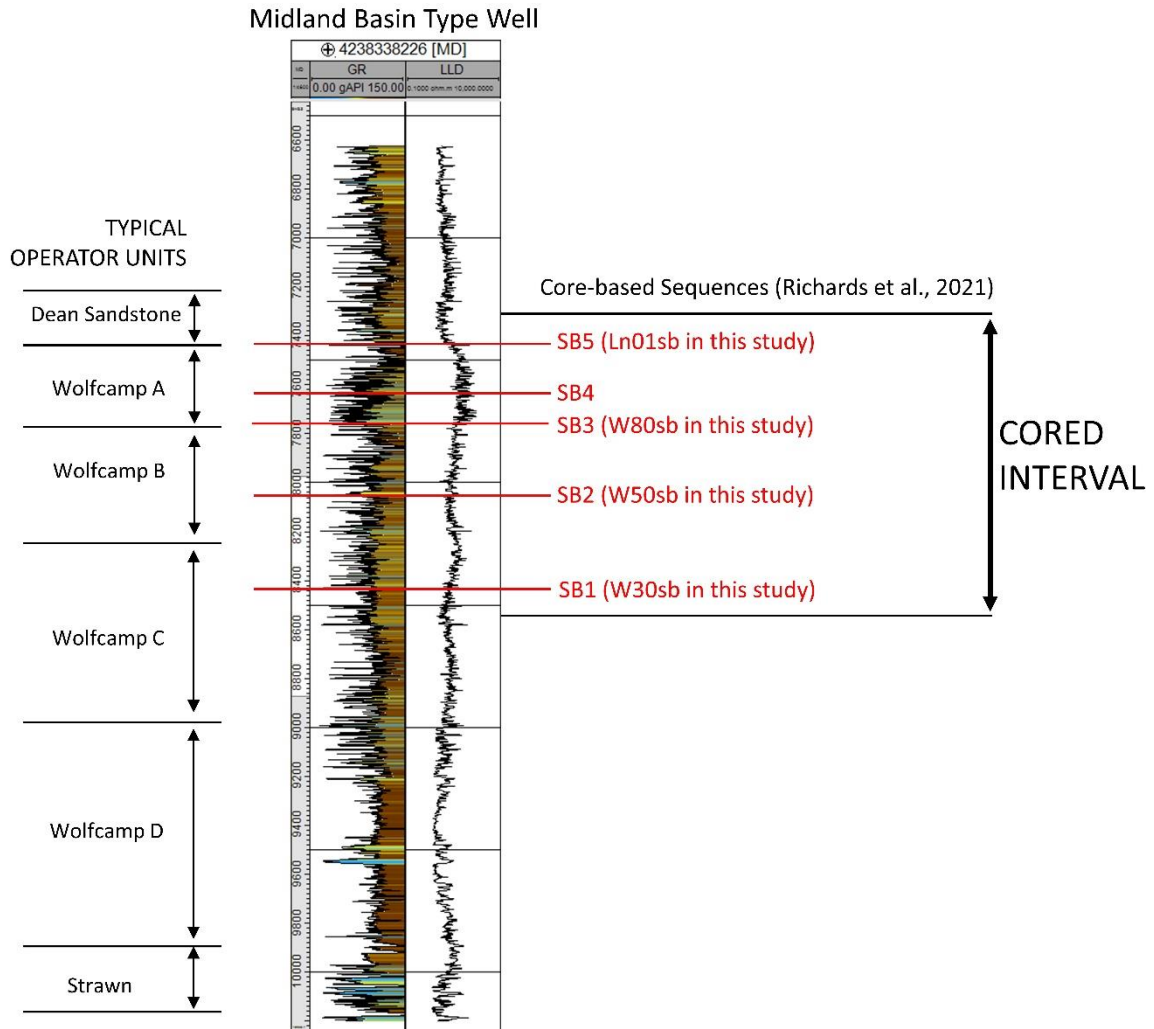


Figure IV-3 Midland Basin type log shown with typical operator picks as well as core-based sequence boundaries from recent study (Richards et al., 2021). Note that the Wolfcamp D is often applied to the Uppermost Pennsylvanian mudstone units, which are Cisco and Canyon equivalent (Sinclair et al., 2017). The Pennsylvanian-Permian boundary therefore likely occurs below cored interval but above Strawn Formation.

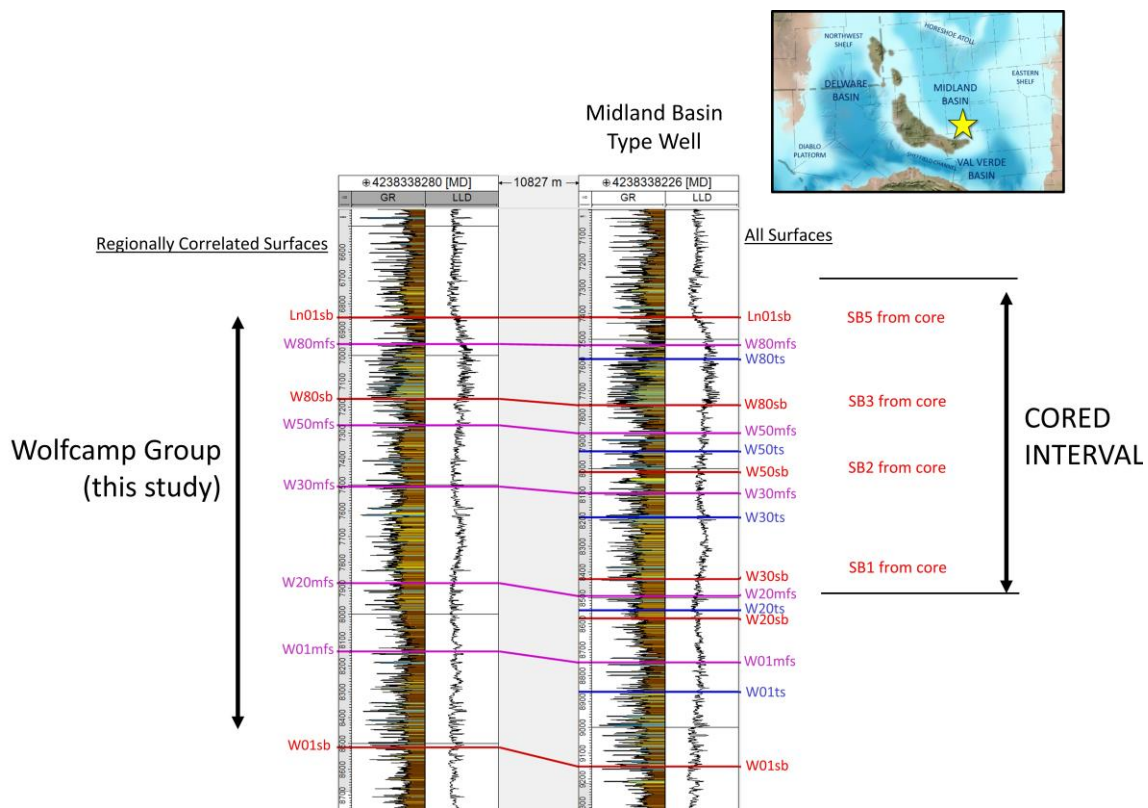


Figure IV-4 The Midland Basin type well (42-383-38226) shown with cored interval and all sixteen surfaces interpreted for the Wolfcamp Group, including several sequence boundaries from recent core work (Richards et al., 2021). Lowermost two sequence boundaries (W01sb, W20sb) correlated on logs, and from outcrops. In the adjacent well (42-383-38280), eight surfaces shown which are correlated regionally, including bounding unconformities (W01sb, Ln01sb), and one internal unconformity (W80sb) which is the most prominent from the studied core. Five maximum flooding surfaces (W01mfs, W20mfs, W30mfs, W50mfs, W80mfs) also correlated regionally. Type well shown with yellow star in index map.

The top of the Wolfcamp Group also is equally contested in the outcrop (Ross, 1963; Cooper and Grant, 1972), as well as in the subsurface (Mazzullo et al., 1987; Van der Loop, 1990). In this study we place the top of the Wolfcamp Group at an interpreted

unconformity at the base of the Sullivan Peak Member of Skinner Ranch Formation in the Glass Mountains. In terms of the subsurface, the base of the Dean Formation in the

Midland Basin, and base of the Third Bone Spring Sandstone in the Delaware Basin were picked as the classic top of the Wolfcamp Group. Recently, however, the top of the Wolfcamp Group was placed stratigraphically lower (Figure IV-3), essentially excluding the economically important Wolfcamp A Zone from the Wolfcamp Group, and terming it the Leonard Shale (Baumgardner et al., 2016). This recent reinterpretation, however, is largely biostratigraphic, focusing on fusulinid and conodont interpretations, and also is related to where the base of the Leonard (top of Wolfcamp) should be placed in the Glass Mountain outcrops. In this study (Figure IV-4), we followed the industry standard sub-surface definition for the top of the Wolfcamp Group (Base Dean/Third Bone Springs), and by doing so place the top of the Wolfcamp Group (base of Leonard) near the Skinner Ranch/Cathedral Mountain contact proposed by Cooper and Grant (1972).

Data and Methodology

This study integrates a variety of subsurface and surficial data. For subsurface data, over 500 wells in the study area have either raster and/or digital data suitable for surface correlation or interpretation. Of these, three (3) were chosen as type logs for the Delaware, Southern Delaware and Midland Basins, for study at regional-scale (Figure IV-5) and for intra-Wolfcamp Group study (Figure IV-6). Forty-seven (47) wells, based on log quality, suite, depth, and location, were used to create 5 well-log cross sections spanning the Greater Permian Basin (Figure IV-2).

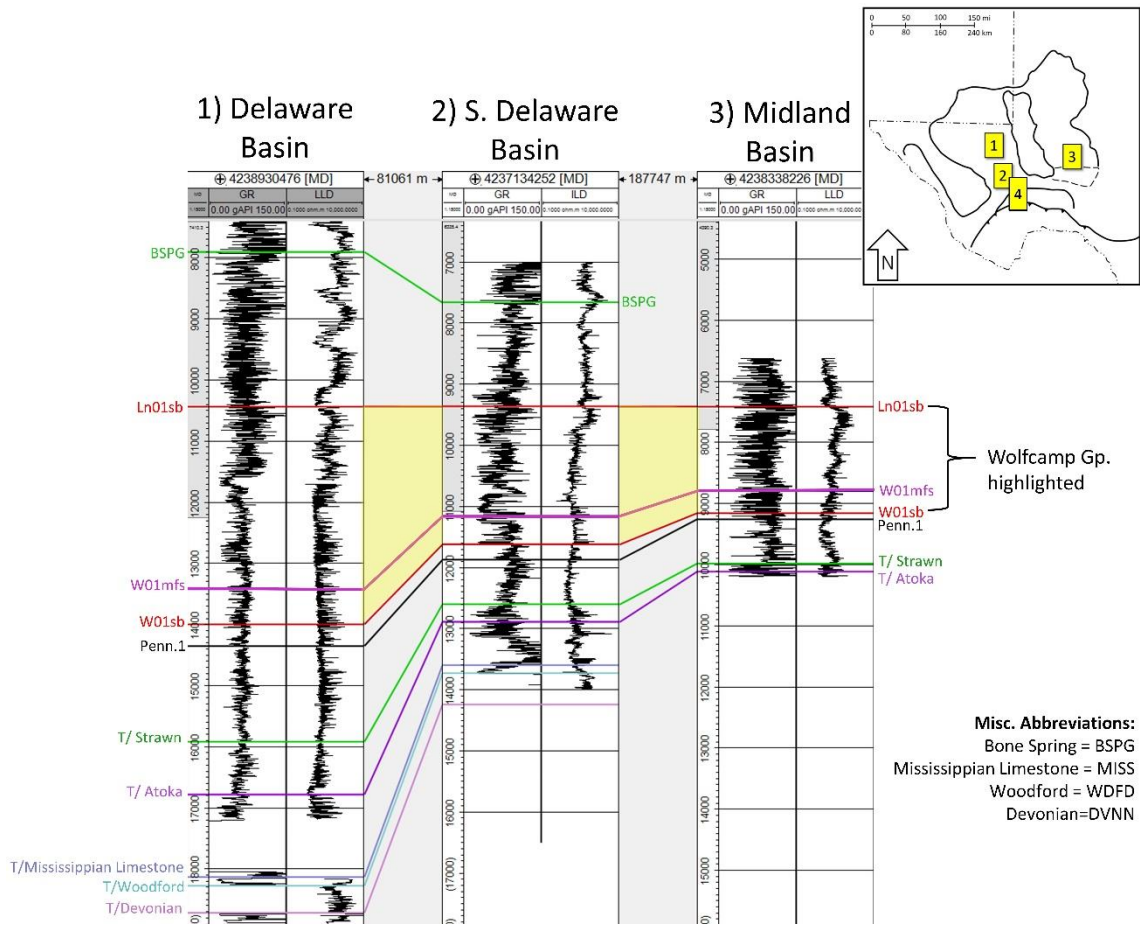


Figure IV-5 Regional-scale type logs for the Wolfcamp Group in central and southern Delaware Basin, as well as Midland Basin. Index map after McKee and Oriel (1967). The base of the Wolfcamp Group often is picked at the lowest maximum flooding surface (W01mfs) but is here picked at an interpreted sequence boundary (W01sb) tied into the Glass Mountains outcrops.

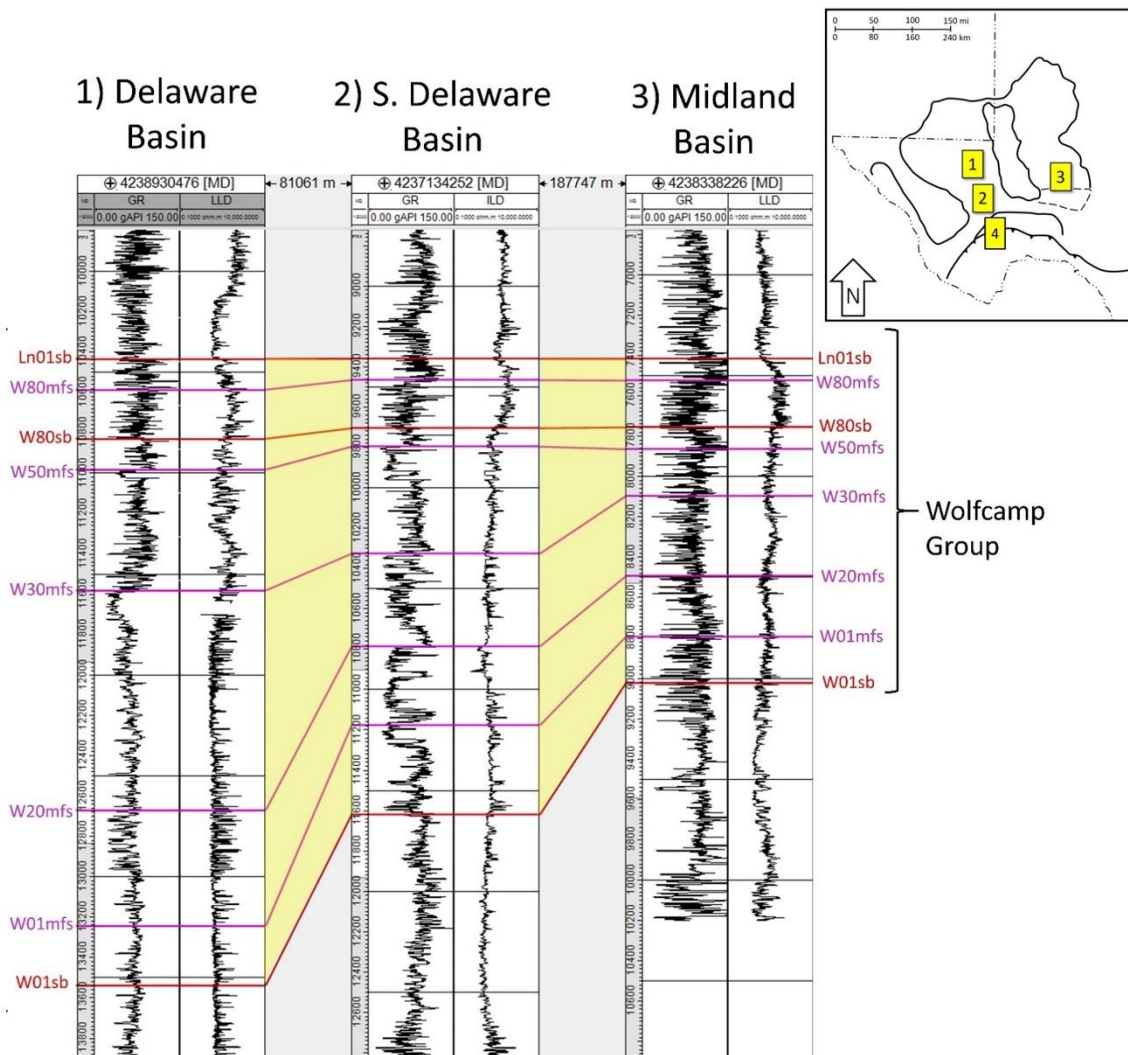


Figure IV-6 Three detailed type logs for the Wolfcamp Group in central and southern Delaware Basin, as well as Midland Basin. Index map after McKee and Oriel (1967).

Surficial data includes four outcrop-derived gamma-ray profiles from measured sections across the Wolfcampian exposures in the western and eastern Glass Mountains (near the Lenox and Wolf Camp Hills, respectively). A composite gamma-ray profile for the Glass Mountains Wolfcamp is assembled (Figure IV-7). These handheld gamma-ray profiles total over 2000 feet of dip-adjusted data and measurements are taken at the bed

scale, approximately every foot. Gamma-ray values were measured with a Radiation Solutions RS-230 BGO Super-SPEC device and the resulting profiles were imported into Schlumberger's Petrel software platform for correlation. These simulated wells are correlated with standard subsurface wireline log data.

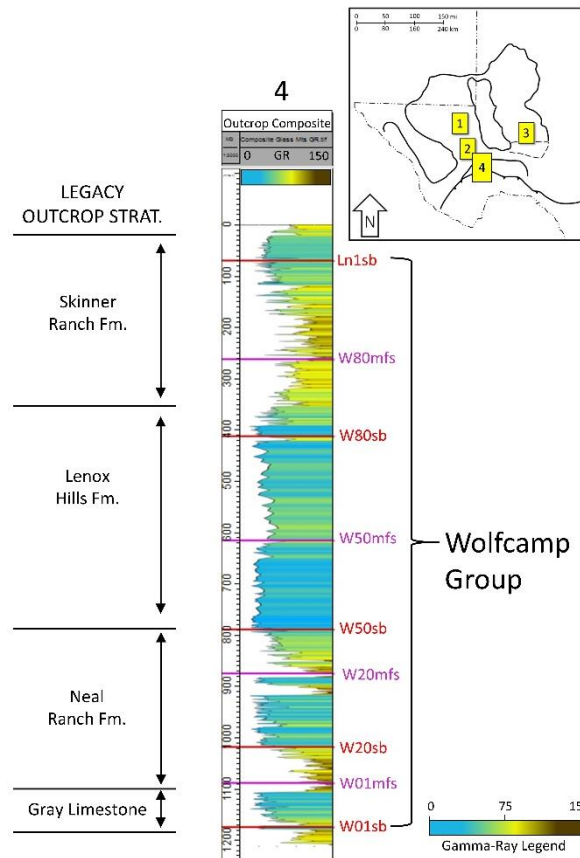


Figure IV-7 Fourth type section is a composite section from the Glass Mountains outcrops. The Skinner Ranch and Lenox Hills portions were measured from Lenox Hills outcrops (Dusak, 2021, *in prep*; Peavey, 2021, *in prep*). The Neal Ranch and Gray Limestone portions were measured in the Wolf Camp Hills (Richards et al., 2021, *in prep*). Index map after McKee and Oriol (1967). GR colored as proxy for lithology where lower values (under 50 API) tend to be limestone beds, 50-100 GR API sections tend to have mixed or silty lithologies, and >100 API intervals are dominated by mudstone beds. Four sequences interpreted for the Wolfcamp Group in outcrop, with one sequence occurring in the Skinner Ranch Formation, one in the Lenox Hills Formation, and two in the Neal Ranch Formation. The fifth sequence, W30, is thought to be eroded under the W50 sequence boundary (W50sb) in proximal outcrop strata.

In terms of the correlation methodology, the first step was to define the base and top of the Wolfcamp Group on the regional-scale across the Southern Delaware Basin (Figure IV-5). This was done by choosing wells which penetrated the entire Permian, as well as underlying Pennsylvanian section, and reach total depth (TD) in the Lower-Middle Paleozoic. Within this succession, the extremely high gamma-ray (>150 API units) Devonian Woodford Formation serves as an important readily recognizable regional marker on both raster and digital logs in the Delaware Basin. After determining the boundaries of the Wolfcamp Group at a regional scale, the Wolfcamp Group's major internal divisions were correlated at a more detailed-scale (Figure IV-6) for correlation into the Glass Mountains outcrops. Some of the informally picked operator-derived surfaces track or parallel maximum flooding surfaces, where gamma-ray peaks often exceed 100 API units (Figure IV-3). The maximum flooding surfaces correlated regionally for this study (Figure IV-3) are interpreted as correlative, as well as chronostratigraphically significant surfaces across the basin (Wilson, 1975; Van Wagoner et al., 1988; Van Wagoner et al., 1990; Bhattacharya, 1993). The top of the Wolfcamp Group in the subsurface was picked at the base of the Dean Sandstone in the Midland Basin and at the 3rd Bone Spring Sandstone in Delaware Basin and is interpreted as representing a sequence boundary at the base of the Leonardian (Richards et al., 2021). The most correlative internal Wolfcamp markers (the W01mfs, W20mfs, W30mfs, W50mfs, W80mfs), can be correlating across the Permian Basin (Figure IV-4). The base of the Wolfcamp Group (Figure IV-5) is interpreted as a sequence boundary,

marked by a sudden upward decrease in gamma-ray values (at least 25 API units) interpreted as a correlative conformity in the basin, representing either a sediment bypass surface or the base of a lowstand wedge (Van Wagoner et al., 1990).

Results

Type Logs and Surfaces Correlated

Regional-Scale Type Logs and Units Correlated

Several major units, formal and informal, were defined in the subsurface, focusing on Permian and Pennsylvanian units (Figure IV-5), while specific stratigraphic surfaces were picked to define the Wolfcamp Group (Figure IV-6). These major units (Figure IV-5) are picked in order to help define the upper and lower bounds of the Wolfcamp Group in the subsurface (the Ln01sb and W01sb surfaces, respectively). The most important units outside of the Wolfcamp Group include the overlying Bone Spring (BSPG) and Dean Sandstone (DEAN), and the underlying Strawn (STRN), Atoka (ATOK), Barnett (BRNT), and Woodford (WDFD) Formations.

Detailed Type Logs and Surfaces Correlated for the Wolfcamp Group

In this study, eight specific stratigraphic surfaces were defined for the Wolfcamp Group (Table 1) in three basinal type logs (Figure IV-6) and in a composite section representing the Glass Mountains outcrops (Figure IV-7). Two sequence boundaries were defined, both at the base and at the top of the Wolfcamp Group (W01sb and Ln01sb, respectively). Additionally, four internal, major maximum flooding surfaces

were defined (from oldest to youngest, W01mfs, W20mfs, W30mfs, W50mfs, W80mfs). In practice, the various markers often serve as the base of the Wolfcamp Group (Jones, 1975) because the lowermost sequence boundary (W01sb) is not as consistent in the basin. The lowermost sequence boundary (W01sb) also was defined in outcrop (Figure IV-7).

The Wolfcamp Group often is defined by operators using a top-down A, B, C, and D nomenclature (Figure IV-3). These informal units vary in their consistency and sometimes follow local transgressive or maximum flooding surfaces, because these markers are reasonably correlative. In particular, the Wolfcamp A and B tend to be picked near reasonably consistent, high gamma-ray intervals (at least 80 API units over at least 100 feet in the basin), though picks occur below, on, and above these intervals (Sinclair et al., 2017). Note that, while some operators utilize the lowermost maximum flooding surface (W01mfs) as the base of the Wolfcamp Group, others have labelled any mudstone interval above the Middle Pennsylvanian (Desmoinesian) Strawn Limestone as belonging to the “Wolfcamp D” (e.g., Sinclair et al., 2017). This paper attempts to delineate the Upper Pennsylvanian in the subsurface as a separate unit and restricts the Wolfcamp Group and its subdivisions to the Lower Permian (Figure IV-1).

Cross Sections

Description of Cross Section A: Culberson County to Winkler County Oasis Core, West to East

Cross section A (Figure IV-8) shows considerable thickening of the Wolfcamp Group into the Delaware Basin axis before thinning again towards the Central Basin Platform. Specifically, the Wolfcamp Group goes from approximately 1,480 feet (450 m) thick in the west, to 3,010 feet (917 m) at its maximum thickness, to 2,200 feet (671 m) to the farthest eastern well penetrating the entire Wolfcamp Group stratigraphy. This cross section also records a relatively consistent signature for the upper portions of the Wolfcamp Group, especially just below the top Wolfcamp (Ln01sb). The upper portions of the Wolfcamp Group contain higher gamma-ray intervals (~90-140 API units) often labelled as Wolfcamp A and B, informally. These intervals are more consistent than the lower portions of the Wolfcamp Group. Deep resistivity values also are significantly higher in the uppermost Wolfcamp Group (10 to 300 ohm-meters) compared with the immediately overlying Bone Spring (5 to 70 ohm-meters). The sequence boundary at the top of the Wolfcamp Group is marked by a consistent inflection at the top of the high-resistivity interval.

Surface Name	Description	Interpretation
Ln01sb	Common top Wolfcamp, aligns with sharp upward drop in GR and resistivity, occurs towards top of Skinner Ranch Formation in outcrop	Sequence boundary, top of Wolfcamp Group
W80mfs	Marked by very high GR values typically exceeding 100 API units for over 100 feet, occurs towards top of informal Wolfcamp A	Maximum Flooding Surface

W80sb	Marked by very sharp drop in GR values (>25 API units) over the "Wolfcamp Shale" marker (Baumgardener et al., 2016), often chosen as Wolfcamp B top, base of Skinner Ranch Formation in outcrop	Sequence Boundary
W50mfs	Typically marked by very high GR values as part of thick (>100 ft) interval similar to that around W80mfs, often picked below (10's of feet) Wolfcamp B top in subsurface and occurs inside the Lenox Hills Formation in outcrop	Maximum Flooding Surface
W30mfs	Thin interval (<50 ft) exceeding 100 GR API units, often occurs in lower portion of Wolfcamp B, does not appear to occur in outcrop	Maximum Flooding Surface
W20mfs	Occurs within thinner interval (often <100 feet) with GR values exceeding 80 API units, lower than in W80 and W50 mfs, occurs in upper half of Neal Ranch Formation in outcrop, sometimes aligns with Wolfcamp D top marker	Maximum Flooding Surface
W01mfs	Typically at least 90 GR API units, base of prominent "funnel" shape, sometimes marked as traditional base of Wolfcamp Group in subsurface, occurs towards base of Neal Ranch Formation in outcrop	Maximum Flooding Surface
W01sb	Marked by sharp upward decrease in GR (>25 API units), marked by higher and more chaotic resistivity above, occurs within Gray Limestone Unit in outcrop, does not align with common subsurface pick from previous work	Sequence boundary, base Wolfcamp Group

Table IV-1 List of 8 key surfaces defining the Wolfcamp Group including bounding unconformities and internal, regionally correlated transgressive surfaces. In cross sections, interpreted sequence boundaries are colored red, interpreted transgressive surfaces are colored blue, and interpreted maximum flooding surfaces are colored purple.

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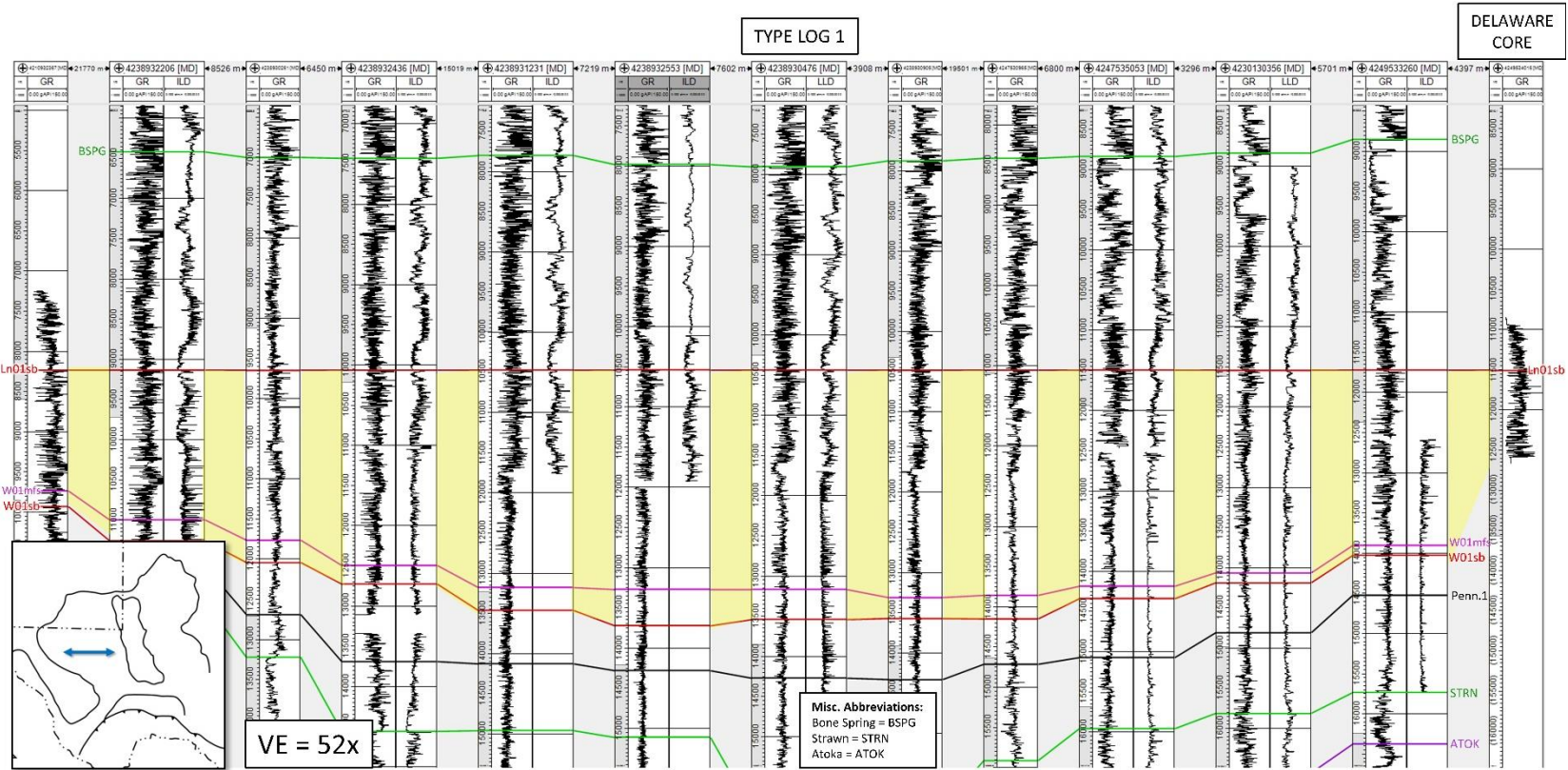


Figure IV-8 Cross Section A goes across central Delaware Basin and displays typical basinal Wolfcamp log signatures. The Wolfcamp Group (bounded by red sequence boundaries W01sb and Ln01sb) thickens in the basin center, though the Pennsylvanian units thicken and thin to a greater degree. The Wolfcamp Group is highlighted between wells. Flattened on top Wolfcamp (Ln01sb).

Interpretation of Cross Section A: Culberson County to Winkler County Oasis Core, West to East

Thickening of the Wolfcamp Group to the east, reaching its maximum value along the basin axis (Figure IV-8), is interpreted as a direct response to basin position and available accommodation space. This reveals asymmetric basin relief wherein the deepest part of Delaware basin occurs towards the east, close to the foot of the Central Basin Platform and the western slope is comparatively shallow. This results aligns with thicknesses and geometries established by previous workers (e.g., Hills, 1984). Variation in lithology is interpreted as a first-order control on the intra-Wolfcamp Group absolute gamma-ray values, in which the beds and bedsets recording over 100 API units are overwhelmingly dominated by mudstone (of varying mineralogical composition). This was demonstrated by studies of the Wolfcamp Group in Midland Basin (e.g., Richards et al., 2021). Values under 65 API units were interpreted as likely silt- or sandstone beds, or as limestone beds (e.g., Driskill et al., 2018).

Description of Cross Section B: Reeves County Basin Center to Brewster County Glass Mountains, North-South

Beginning in central Delaware Basin, this dip-oriented cross section (Figure IV-9) starts in the approximate basin center and follows the basin axis southward and thinning considerably (from 2,908 to 591 feet, or 886 to 180 meters), while migrating gradually to a structurally higher position. The mid-cross section jump from Collier 52-

14 #1 (42-389-32572) to Dora Robert #1 (42-389-00418) shows more pronounced thinning and change in subsea depth (shallowing) for the total Wolfcamp section (Figure IV-10). That transition occurs across the east-west trending Grisham or Mid-Basin Fault, a prominent normal fault downthrown towards the north (Ewing, 1985; Ewing, 1991; Shumaker, 1992; Yang and Dorobek, 1995). In the far south (Figure IV-10), between the penultimate well, Sibley, Jane #1 (42-043-30231) and the final, southernmost well, Madre Grande #1 (42-043-30266) the Wolfcamp Group thins and shallows dramatically (from 1,337 to 591 feet [408 to 180 m] in thickness, and +1,809 to -2,036 feet [+551 to -621 m] SS TVD, or Sub Sea True Vertical Depth). As picked, the top of the Wolfcamp Group between these wells records a dip of 10.2°. The two previous well-well dips for the top of the Wolfcamp Group record dips of 1.8° and 0.9°, respectively.

The total thickness of the Pennsylvanian thickens dramatically from north to south across Pecos County towards the Ouachita-Marathon thrust front (Figure IV-9). Specifically, the total Pennsylvanian goes from 1,692 feet (516 m) thick (Hayter State 28 #1, 42-371-34252) to 9,010 feet thick (Sibley, Jane #1, 42-043-30231). The Pennsylvanian, as picked, is even thicker in the southernmost, final well where it measures 12,856 feet (3,919 m) thick, although this well contains Pennsylvanian units not present toward the north including the Haymond Formation, and the Dimple Limestone. Other workers have also noticed significant Permo-Carboniferous thickening toward the Ouachita-Marathon Thrust Front (Hamlin, 2009). Conversely, sandstone-rich units in the Upper Wolfcamp (e.g., the informal Wolfcamp X, Y sandstone units) thin and become less prominent across Reeves County (Figure IV-11). It is unclear whether

the sandstone units in the upper Wolfcamp A continue south beyond this point, the gamma-ray profile changes considerably starting with Dora Robert #1 (42-389-00418)

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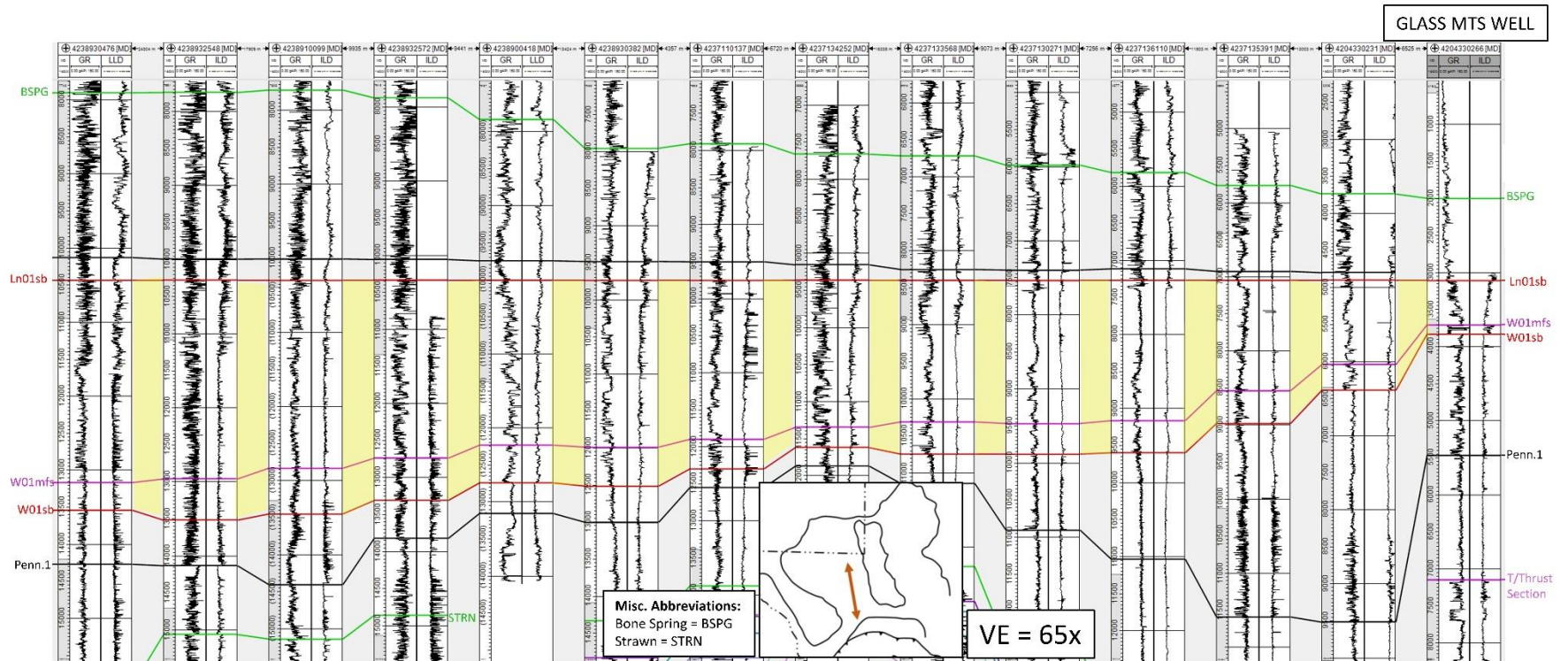


Figure IV-9 Cross Section B (regional scale) goes from central Delaware Basin to the Glass Mountains. Over this distance the Wolfcamp Group thins and shallows considerably whereas Pennsylvanian strata thicken into the Marathon-Ouachita foredeep. The log signature for the top of the Wolfcamp changes considerably towards the south. The Wolfcamp Group is highlighted between wells. Flattened on the top of the Wolfcamp Group (Ln01sb).

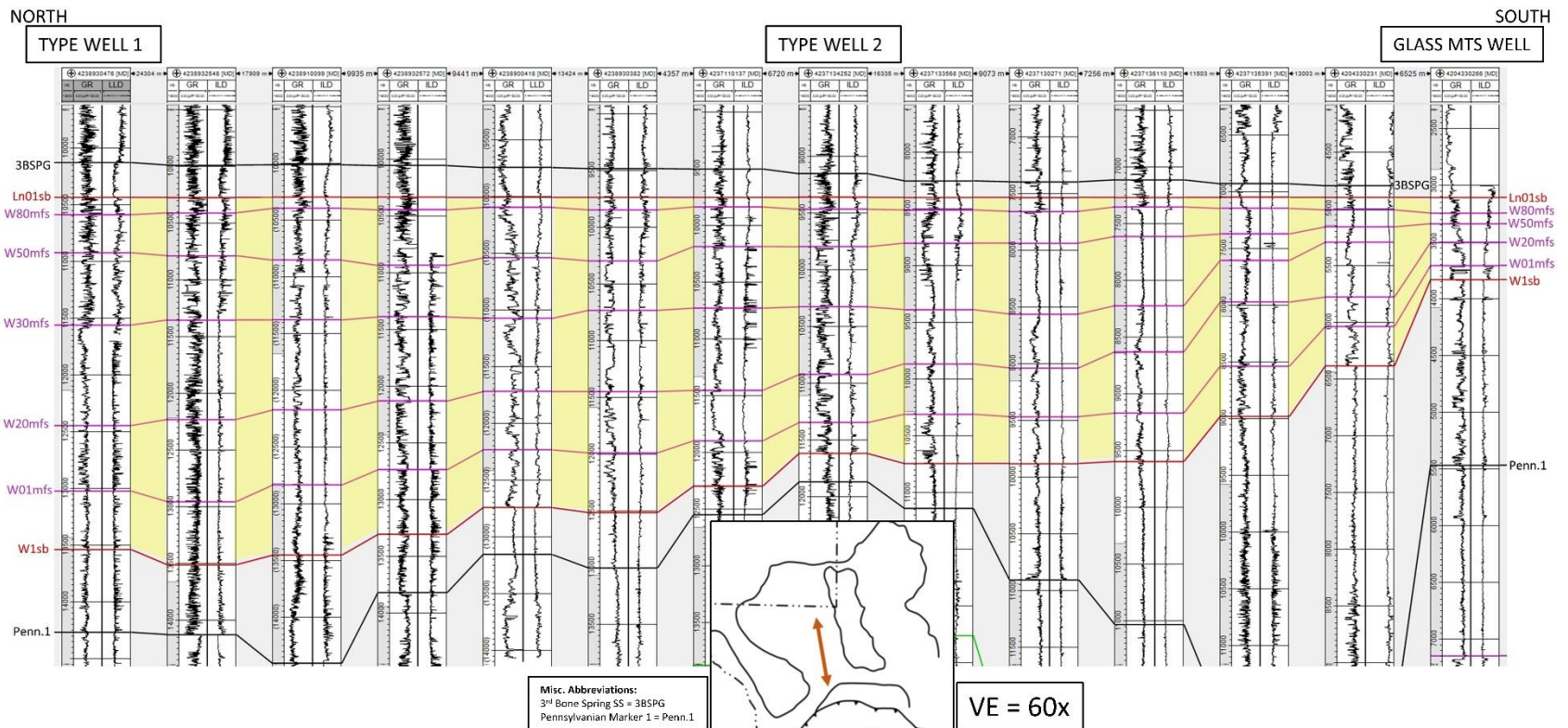


Figure IV-10 Cross Section B (detailed) goes from central Delaware Basin to the Glass Mountains. Over this distance the Wolfcamp Group strata thin and shallow considerably whereas the Pennsylvanian strata thicken into the Marathon-Ouachita foredeep. The log signature for the top of the Wolfcamp changes considerably towards the south. This cross section is flattened on the top of the Wolfcamp (Ln01sb).

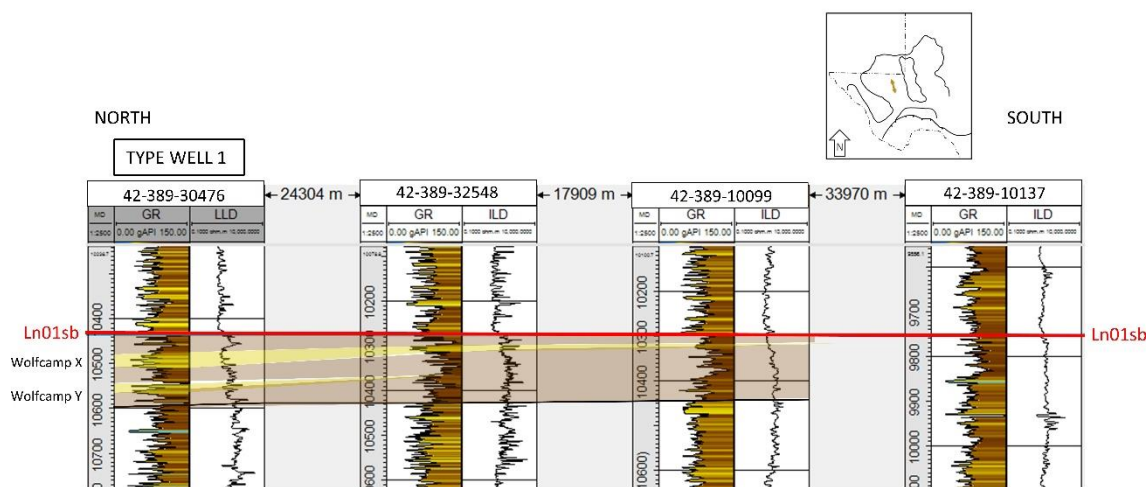


Figure IV-11 Cross Section B (zoomed in, Reeves county only) Wolfcamp XY sandstone intervals thin out towards south in Reeves County. Gamma-ray colored to highlight sandstone intervals in otherwise high gamma-ray upper Wolfcamp A. This cross section is flattened on the top of the Wolfcamp (Ln01sb).

Interpretation of Cross Section B: Reeves County Basin Center to Brewster County

Glass Mountains, North-South

The complex pattern of southern thinning and then thickening of the Wolfcamp Group is interpreted as reflecting variable paleobathymetry during the deposition of the Early Permian. Thickening in Pecos County (Figures IV-9, 10) is interpreted as partially isolated from the thickest Wolfcamp stratigraphy north of the Grisham or Mid-Basin Fault (Shumaker, 1992), in the basin center (Ewing, 1991; Shumaker, 1992; Ewing, 2019). The difficulty in correlating the Wolfcamp X/Y sandstone intervals south of this zone (Figure IV-11) is interpreted as potentially indicative of a northern source for these detrital inputs, effectively marking the southern limit of their deposition against the

paleo-high at the Grisham (Mid-Basin) Fault. Conversely, the extreme thickening of the Pennsylvanian strata towards the southernmost end of the cross section (Figure IV-9) is interpreted as reflecting both the extreme subsidence and increased sediment input generated in the foredeep of the Ouachita-Marathon thrusting and orogenesis, as was previously interpreted for Terrell and Crockett Counties to the east (Hamlin, 2009).

Additionally, the pronounced changes in dip at the top of the Wolfcamp Group and at the southern end of the cross section (Figure IV-10) are interpreted as reflecting the paleobathymetry towards the end of Wolfcamp Group deposition, with a distinct, steep relief surface correlated between Sibley Jane #1 (42-043-30231) and Madre Grande #1 (42-043-30266) interpreted as a pronounced slope (10-20°), whereas the shallower dips (< 5°) north of Sibley Jane #1 (42-043-30231) represent the toe of slope and basin floor. This interpretation would preclude the interpretation of a homoclinal ramp (Ahr, 1973) for the Wolfcamp Group, despite the dominance of lower-relief and weakly aggradational algal mound carbonate factories in the Lowermost Permian (Ross, 1986; Mazzullo and Reid, 1989; Sarg, 1989; Candelaria et al., 1992). Finally, at this southernmost position, the overlying Bone Spring formation is much more uniform in gamma-ray log character, with distinctly lower median values (typically <65 API units) interpreted as recording predominately limestone-rich lithologies in the most proximal Bone Spring strata.

Description of Cross Section C: Pecos County to Reagan County, West-East

This cross section (Figure IV-12) connects the Wolfcamp Group between southern Delaware Basin and southern Midland Basin. The chosen route, through central Pecos, northern Terrell and central Crockett, and southern Reagan Counties, avoids the structural highs of the Central Basin Platform in order to correlate only basinal stratigraphy between the Delaware, Val Verde and Midland Basins. Nonetheless, the Wolfcamp Group is significantly structurally higher south of the Central Basin Platform, e.g., along the Puckett uplift between Coates -A- #1 (42-371-31361) and Ranch Hand “8” #3 (42-105-38855), between 3,000 and 3,600 feet (914 to 1,097 m) SS TVD. Conversely, the deepest Wolfcamp Group strata occur in central Pecos County where the top of the Wolfcamp Group occurs at 5,947 feet (1,812 m) SS TVD in University Lands 27-9 #1 (42-371-37746). The Middle Pennsylvanian through Devonian units (Strawn though Devonian picks) vary by more than 5,000 feet (15,000 m) in the western half of the cross section, from above 10,000 feet (3,000 m) SS TVD to below 15,000 feet (5,000 m) SS TVD feet in the basin center. Towards the east, the Middle Pennsylvanian through Devonian Units shallow again, occurring between 5,000 and 10,000 feet (1,500 to 3,000 m) SS TVD in UTP Montgomery Ranch #1 (42-371-31782) and University 10 #2704H (42-383-38226). This mirrors the variation in thickness observed in the Pennsylvanian units, which thicken and thin in tandem with the structural position (depth) and greatly exceed the thickening and thinning in the overlying Wolfcamp Group. Additionally, the Devonian Woodford Formation, typically marked by gamma-ray measurements exceeding 150 API units, is not observed and not therefore picked between Millspaugh

#4201 (42-105-36447) and University 10 #2704H (42-383-38226). Finally, the Third Bone Spring Sandstone and the Dean Sandstone are shown to be equivalent units immediately overlying the Wolfcamp Group between the wells Noelke Kennie #1 (42-443-30017) and University 29-20 #2P towards the east (42-105-42111).

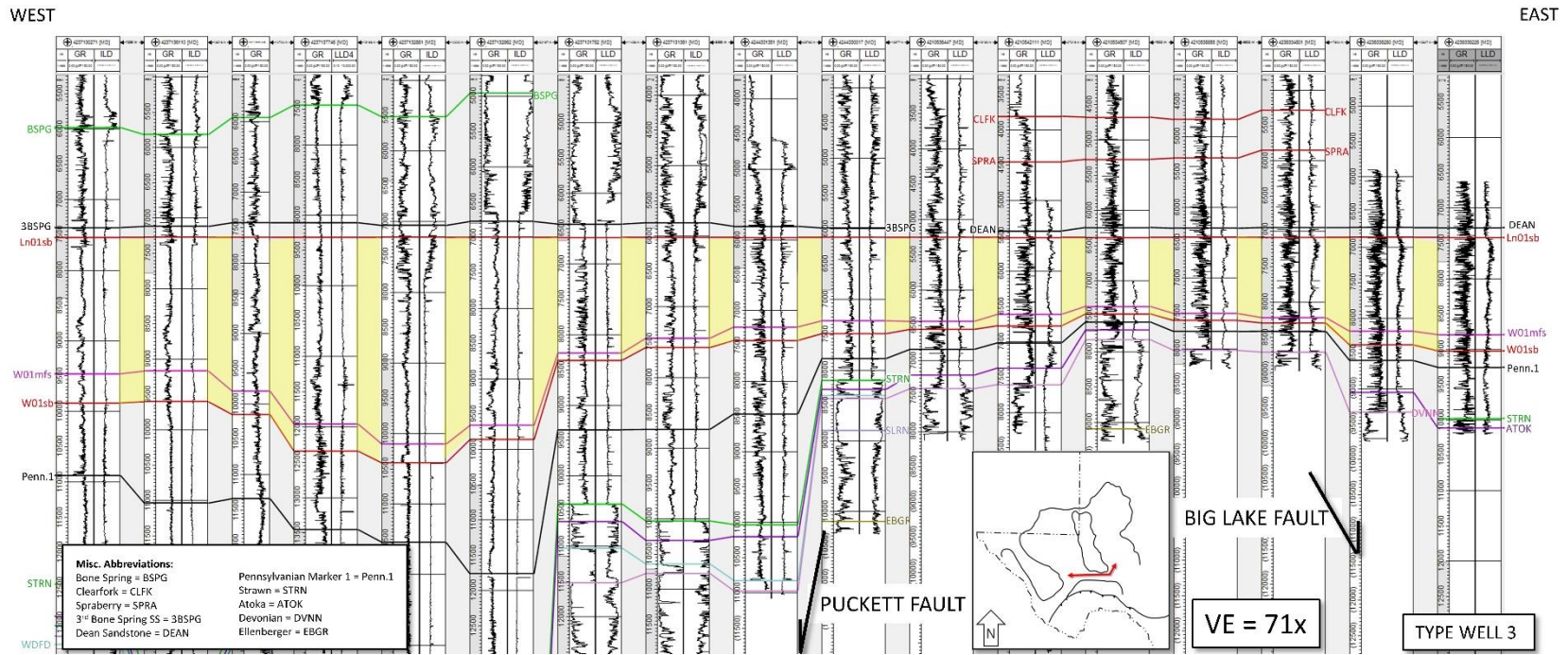


Figure IV-12 Cross Section C from southern Delaware Basin to southern Midland Basin. The three broad regions include the deep Delaware Basin, the thinner Wolfcamp Group strata south of the Central Basin Platform across structural highs, and the comparatively shallow strata in southern Midland Basin to the far east (right). Note that the typical Wolfcamp Group top changes considerably to the far west, whereas the central Delaware Basin log signature more closely matches that of Midland Basin. This cross section is flattened on the top of the Wolfcamp (Ln01sb). Note that Middle-Upper Permian units (e.g. Bone Spring, Spraberry) use local names which are not correlated between Delaware and Midland Basins.

Interpretation of Cross Section C: Pecos County to Reagan County, West-East

This cross section (Figure IV-12) is interpreted to record three fundamentally distinct regions of deposition for the Wolfcamp Group, from west to east, 1) southern Delaware Basin, 2) Puckett uplift and Sheffield Channel south of the Central Basin Platform, and 3) the Ozona Arch and southern Midland Basin. While the Delaware and Midland Basin regions record consistently higher gamma-ray values for the Wolfcamp Group (interpreted as reflecting the dominance of basinal mudstone facies), the structurally higher Sheffield Channel region is interpreted as reflecting a paleo-high suitable for carbonate production, resulting in the increased relative occurrence of low gamma-ray (<65 API units) intervals. Thinning of the Wolfcamp Group across the Sheffield Channel region also is interpreted as resulting from reduced accommodation on the paleo-high(s). The Woodford Formation was interpreted to be eroded by Upper Pennsylvanian or Lower Permian unconformities across the paleo-high(s), given that the Tobosa Basin should have allowed for sufficient accommodation in this region for Woodford Formation deposition during the Devonian (Galley, 1958). Others have shown similar erosion of the Woodford Formation on the Central Basin Platform itself (Comer, 1991). The basinal Wolfcamp Group in southern Midland Basin does show similar broad log character, and trends in gamma-ray and deep resistivity log signature to the Delaware Basin stratigraphy, although the entire Wolfcamp Group is compressed as a function of the reduced accommodation available in the Midland Basin. The maximum flooding surface (W50mfs) in particular is consistent across basins as seen in the

regional and detailed types logs (Figures IV-5, 6) and this prominent marker often occurs just below the operator-selected, informal Wolfcamp B top.

Description of Cross Section D: Culberson to Reeves County Pow-Wow

Conglomerate, Southwest-Northeast

This cross section (Figure IV-13) is restricted to Culberson and western Reeves counties and leverages lithology logs documenting the Pow-Wow Conglomerate in the western side of Delaware basin. Here, the Pow-Wow Conglomerate interval is correlated between the base Wolfcamp (W01sb) and first major flooding surface (W10mfs) marker, showing that the top of the Pow-Wow Conglomerate as picked in the lithology log and represents the base of the Wolfcamp Group in this location.

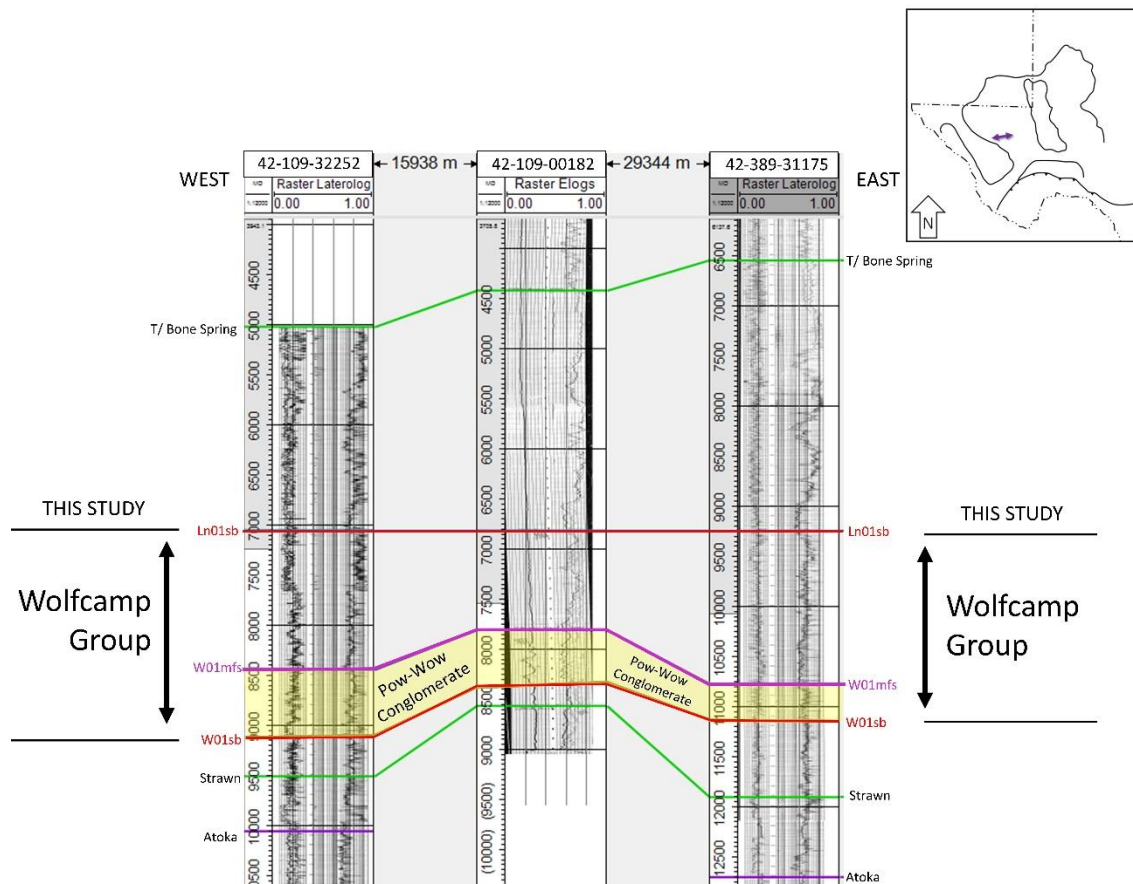


Figure IV-13 Cross Section D is a small portion of western Delaware Basin from Culberson to western Reeves County. The middle well (42-109-00182) contains a lithology log (not shown) which describes and labels an interval the loggers interpret as the “Pow-Wow Conglomerate” (King, 1965) originally mapped in the Sierra Diablo Mountains. Here, this interval is highlighted where it occurs just below the lowermost transgressive surface (W10ts). This study interprets the Pow-Wow conglomerate interval below the transgressive surface (W10ts) as a possible lowstand wedge reflecting updip erosion associated with the base Wolfcamp Group unconformity (W01sb), equivalent to the unconformity in the Glass Mountains (Figure IV-7).

Interpretation of Cross Section D: Culberson to Reeves County Pow-Wow

Conglomerate, Southwest-Northeast

The base of the Wolfcamp Group (W01sb) is interpreted as occurring at the base of a conglomeratic lowstand wedge (Figure IV-13) resulting from updip unconformities

occurring at the base of the Permian in the Glass Mountains (King, 1931; Ross, 1963) and in the Hueco and Sierra Diablo Mountains (King et al., 1945; King, 1965; Playton and Kerans, 2002). This interpretation supports the delivery of conglomeratic clasts by debris flows and other processes downdip and onto the proximal basin floor. The lowermost flooding surface surface (W01mfs) would then, as picked, represent the top of a lowstand wedge and the basal Wolfcamp unconformity (W01sb) would be its base, a likely correlative conformity in this area. The chaotic log signatures between these markers is interpreted as indicating the complex lowstand wedge associated with updip erosion rather than quiescent, basinal hemipelagic or pelagic fallout occurring during highstands.

Description of Cross Section E: Brewster County Outcrops to Nearest Basinward Well, West-East

The provincial outcrop formations and members (from older to younger, the Gaptank, Neal Ranch, Lenox Hills, Skinner Ranch and Cathedral Mountains Formations) were measured and an outcrop-based composite gamma-ray profile correlated (Figure IV-14) with the nearest basinward well, Madre Grande #1 (42-043-30266). The stratigraphic framework enables the comparison of the informal divisions and the outcrop stratigraphy. As correlated, the Skinner Ranch Formation roughly overlaps with the Wolfcamp A, the Lenox Hills Formation overlaps with the Wolfcamp B and the Neal Ranch Formation overlaps with the Wolfcamp D.

Finally, the high gamma-ray surface inside the Wolfcamp C (W20mfs) can be traced between the Wolf Camp Hills and Madre Grande #1 (42-043-30266), and this surface has a seven degree dip. This dip is calculated simply by measuring present day change in elevation over present day distance and is therefore uncorrected for compaction effects.

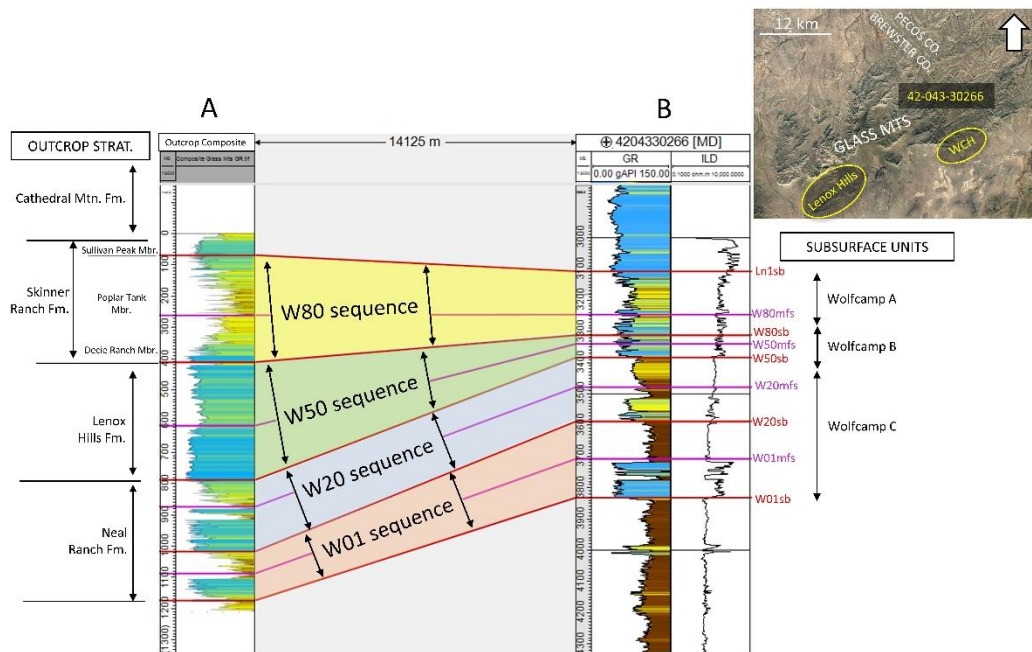


Figure IV-14 Cross section E correlates the Glass Mountains outcrop composite section (A) into a nearby basinward well (B). The base of the Lenox Hills Formation is a prominent angular unconformity (W50sb) in outcrop, and the overlying Lenox Hills Formation thickens and thins dramatically across the Glass Mountains (Ross, 1963). Composite section includes the Neal Ranch Formation in the eastern Wolf Camp Hills and the Lenox Hills and Skinner Ranch Formations in the western Lenox Hills. Correlation indicates location of traditional operator-derived units relative to outcrop formations.

Interpretation of Cross Section E: Brewster County Outcrops to Nearest Basinward Well, West-East

This cross section (Figure IV-14) shows consistent high gamma-ray signatures for the Gaptank, Neal Ranch and Skinner Ranch formations as correlated here, whereas the Lenox Hills Formation shows considerable variation in thickness and log character from the Glass Mountains into the subsurface. This matches the description of Ross (1963) who noted the variable nature of the Lenox Hills Formation in outcrop, especially the basal conglomeratic intervals. Given that the base of the Lenox Hills represents an angular unconformity (Ross, 1963), the varying thickness of conglomeratic fill may be consistent with variable erosion and creation of accommodation space during subaerial exposure. This interpretation also supports previous work (Ross, 1963) placing the base of the Wolfcamp Group at the flooding surface close to the top of the Gray Limestone Member of King (1931). The Gaptank Formation, including the Gray Limestone Member, would therefore be interpreted as Upper Pennsylvanian Canyon and Cisco equivalent.

Finally, the sudden transition to a high gamma ray interval in the Neal Ranch formation (W20mfs) is interpreted as a flooding surface and because this dip of 7° is steep, but less so than at the southern end of Cross Section B (Figure IV-10), one possible interpretation is that this dip records the shelf-slope transition where the outcrops represent the middle or outer shelf and the Madre Grande #1 (42-043-30266) penetrates the upper slope, at least during deposition of the lower interval(s) of the Wolfcamp Group. Another possibility is that the reduced occurrence of mudstones in the

proximal Glass Mountains outcrops reduces compaction effects, and this 7° is closer to depositional dip during the deposition of the Wolfcamp Group.

Structure Maps

Description of Structure Map 1: Top Wolfcamp Structure across Paleo-Slope, Brewster and Pecos Counties

In the map, 465 well logs (shown as black squares) in the southern Delaware Basin were used to reconstruct the top of the Wolfcamp Group. This assumes post-depositional tectonic alteration was minimal, but tectonic intensity associated with the Marathon-Ouachita orogeny had decreased significantly by the Leonardian (Hills, 1984). The hotter colors represent shallower values and the deeper values are shown with cooler colors. Numeric annotations shown are relative to sea level. The outline of Delaware Basin and the southernmost portion of Midland Basin are clearly visible. Although the Central Basin Platform was not the focus of these picks the general outline is nonetheless visible in the structure map. Absolute values range from 3000 feet (1000 m) above sea level (yellow-orange color) to 8000 feet (2500 m) below sea level in the central Delaware Basin. The Wolfcamp Group south of the Central Basin Platform is positioned significantly structurally higher (i.e., shallower) than the Wolfcamp Group in Delaware Basin and slightly higher or shallower than in Midland Basin. The Wolfcamp towards the Glass Mountains shows significant and rapid shallowing, manifesting as tightly spaced 1000 foot contours. The top of the Wolfcamp Group in the basin does

continue to deepen toward the north, but with a significantly lower dip compared with the area near the western Pecos-eastern Brewster County boundary.

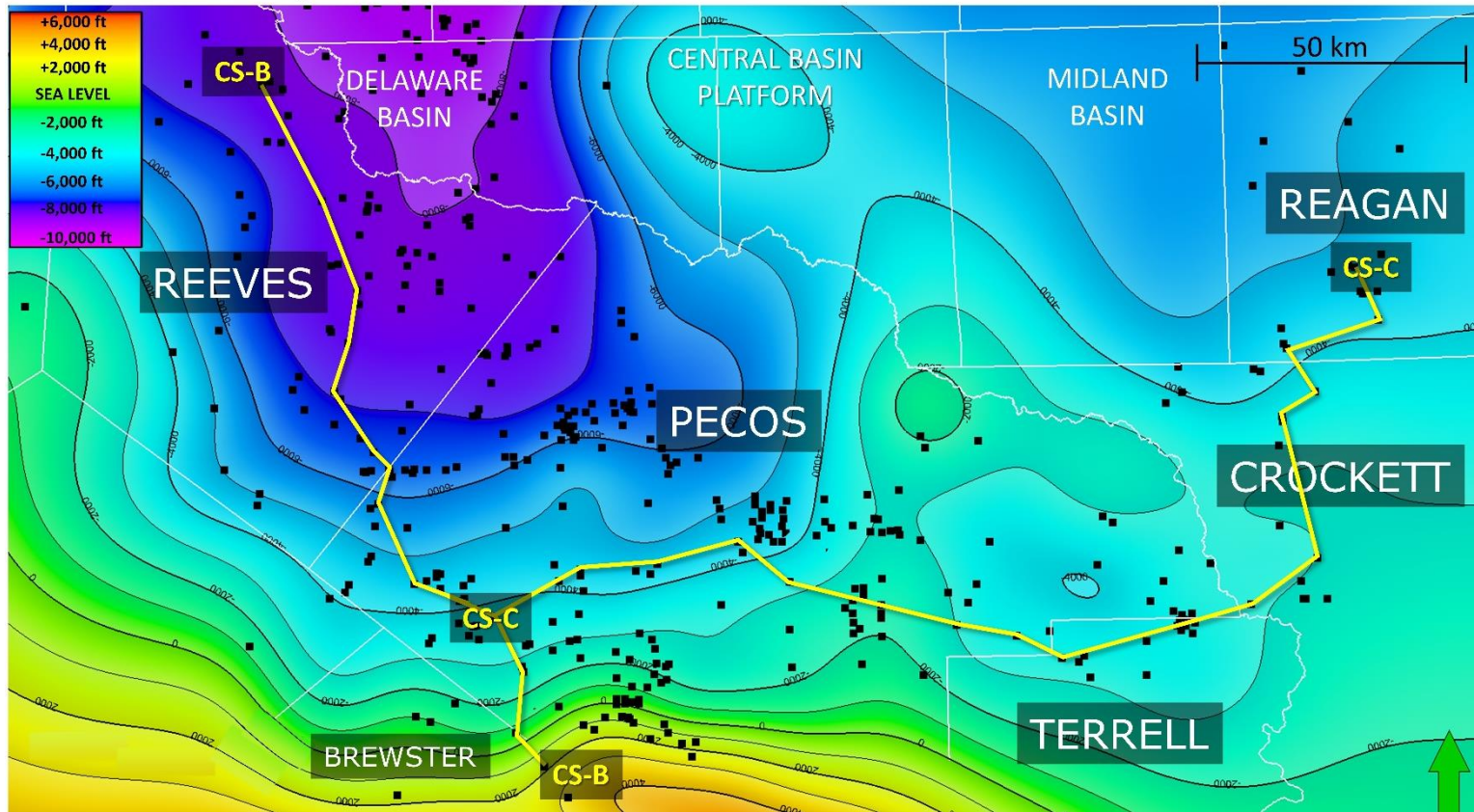


Figure IV-15 Structure map for the top of the Wolfcamp generated in Petrel using 465 well tops (black squares) picked for this study. Well density deliberately higher in southern Delaware Basin. Note defined slope in southern Pecos County approaching southern shelf. Counties in white, contour is 1000 feet, datum is sea level. Cross sections 2 and 3 are shown in green and orange, respectively. Select counties labelled in white.

Interpretation of Structure Map 1: Top Wolfcamp Structure across Paleo-Slope, Brewster and Pecos Counties

The general structural configuration of the Permian Basin (i.e., the general outlines of Delaware, Midland Basins and Central Basin Platform is well established in the literature (e.g., Galley, 1958) but the detail shown here around the southern shelf, integrating several outcrop-based picks for the top of the Wolfcamp Group, clarifies the approximate structural configuration at the end of Wolfcamp Deposition. Additionally, the cluster of wells north of the Glass Mountains recording a steep transition from approximately +2,000 to -2,000 feet (+600 to -600 m) SS TVD is interpreted as recording a well-defined paleo-slope, where the Glass Mountains outcrops were positioned close to the apparent top of the slope. The positioning and dip of the slope are interpreted as being at least partially a function of the Ouachita-Marathon thrust front, where the most northern thrust fault(s), e.g., the Dugout Creek Thrust (King, 1980), tip out somewhere beneath the Glass Mountains, although this could be tested with 3D seismic data. In this scenario, the carbonate depositional profile for the Wolfcamp Group at the southern shelf of Delaware Basin could be interpreted as a “wedge-top” thrust front (DeCelles and Giles, 1996; Bosence, 2005).

Discussion

How does the outcrop to basin correlation affect the understanding of the age of the uppermost Wolfcamp Group?

As previously noted, both the top and bottom boundaries of the Wolfcamp Group are controversial. Regarding the top of the Wolfcamp Group, this study uses the stratigraphic framework to correlate the informal subsurface nomenclature from operators with the outcrop formations. This work suggests that the informal Wolfcamp A in the basin is, in general, equivalent to the Skinner Ranch Formation in outcrop (Figure IV-14). Debate around this interval revolves around whether this interval is Leonardian or older, and which rocks constitute the Leonardian in outcrop (Ross, 1963; Cooper and Grant, 1972). By deferring to the well-defined international time-scale, this discussion is avoided, and the outcrop to subsurface correlation is established wherein the Skinner Ranch Formation in outcrop corresponds to the informal Wolfcamp A in the basin. Skinner Ranch Formation deposition occurred during the upper Artinskian or lower Kungurian (Henderson et al., 2012), similarly to the informal Wolfcamp A in the subsurface (Tian et al., 2019). The absolute ages of both the surface and subsurface strata, however, needs to be better constrained with more geochronology established using TIMS dating on bentonite-derived zircon grains. Finally, whatever the age of the Wolfcamp A in the Midland Basin it should be equivalent to the Wolfcamp A in Delaware Basin (Figure IV-12) because both are shown to be equivalent, as are their overlying Leonardian sandstone units, the Dean and the Third Bone Spring units, respectively.

*Are the markers delineating the top of the Wolfcamp Group in the basin
chronostratigraphically significant?*

By comparing the type wells from the central and southern Delaware Basin, and the Midland Basin, (Figure IV-6) the well log signatures for the basinal Wolfcamp Group can be compared at the regional scale. The continuity of the transgressive surfaces between basins strongly suggests that these intervals represent time-stratigraphic surfaces because the log signatures show not just similar lithologies (i.e., mudstone-dominated bedsets) but have the same gamma-ray and especially deep resistivity spikes and inflection points occurring at the same stratigraphic heights in all three wells. This suggests that individual events are responsible for those individual log signatures (e.g., changes in marine geochemistry) which are recorded in both basins and at approximately the same time. If the correlation were purely lithostratigraphic (i.e., not representing basinal mudstones of the same age), the gross lithofacies might be comparable, but the individual events and resulting wireline log signatures complete with matching spikes and inflection points would not align. In fact, the log signature observed for the Uppermost Wolfcamp Group here occurs through Delaware Basin and southern Midland Basin, and its correlation only breaks down across the paleo-highs along the Sheffield Channel where the lithofacies do not record the same signals as the basinal mudrock intervals in the basin.

What is the nature of the depositional profile for the Wolfcamp Group across Southern Delaware Basin?

While early workers were able to delineate individual clinoforms in the Wolfcamp Group using very closely spaced well logs (≤ 1 mile spacing) on the Eastern Shelf (e.g., Rall and Rall, 1958; Van Siclen, 1958), this study correlates flooding surfaces in the Wolfcamp Group using available wireline log data which remains relatively sparse, and records depositional topography across the tectonically complex Ouachita-Marathon thrust front. The dips for the top of the Wolfcamp Group (Figure IV-15) greatly exceed those of Lower Wolfcamp Group ramps studied by previous workers (Mazzullo and Reid, 1989; Sinclair et al., 2017). This may reflect changes in the primary reef builders over time from less aggradational phylloid algae to more strongly aggradational corals (Mazzullo and Reid, 1989). Studies of Midland Basin have invoked changes in sediment supply over time, concluding the times of higher sediment supply (e.g., collisional phases) result in shelf progradation and slope margin flattening, while lower sediment supply times result in carbonate aggradation and slope steepening (Liu et al., 2021). The tectonic setting could also explain the steep depositional profile (10-20° slope), where the Wolfcamp Group previously was measured as having steep relief across tectonically enhanced margins, as occurs on the western side of Delaware Basin or across deep normal faults bounding the Central Basin Platform (Yang and Dorobek, 1995; Playton and Kerans, 2002; Sinclair, 2017). In the western Delaware Basin, modern Sierra Diablo Mountains, tectonically-enhanced relief across the Wolfcamp Group was recorded as being as steep as 7°, whereas Leonardian profiles measured as dipping as

steeply as 15° (Fitchen, 1996). Additionally, work in the southern Delaware Basin previously interpreted the Lower Permian shelf as being perched atop paleo-highs controlled by imbricate blind thrusts (Ross, 1986) creating more tectonically-enhanced relief between the shelf and the basin than would otherwise occur purely as a function of carbonate factory reef building. This type of carbonate depositional profile was termed a “wedge-top” profile forming in a tectonically active part of a foreland basin (DeCelles and Giles, 1996; Bosence, 2005). In relation to recent conclusions from Midland Basin regarding sediment supply as the primary control on slope, Delaware Basin generally, and especially adjacent to the thrust front, has comparatively extreme accommodation space available for sediment fill, potentially dampening any flattening effect akin to that observed due to sediment outbuilding in Midland Basin (Liu et al., 2021). Similarly, if the shelf margin is sufficiently steepened by tectonics to act as a continuous bypass surface during the deposition of the Wolfcamp Group in Southern Delaware Basin, this “shelf margin” would not prograde normally, even with a very high sediment supply with the Marathon highlands, because it had not yet filled the available accommodation space in the foredeep.

Occurrence of Detrital Silt- and Sandstone Units with Relation to Sediment Provenance

The Wolfcamp Group X and Y sandstone intervals are most prominent in the northern Delaware Basin (Figure IV-11), the Upper Pennsylvanian and Lower Wolfcamp (the informal Wolfcamp C, especially) detrital packages thicken towards the south (Van Der Loop, 2017) and the Ouachita-Marathon thrust front (Hall, 1956). This

suggests that at different periods in time, sources of sediment to the basin changed significantly, from the south to the north and that input on one side of the basin may not be observed elsewhere in the basin. This is supported by recent work on detrital zircons (Gao et al., 2020; Soto-Kerans et al., 2020) which specifically supports a southern source associated with the Ouachita-Marathon highlands in Uppermost Pennsylvanian and Lowermost Permian detrital sediments in southern Delaware Basin. Other recent studies highlight the persistent importance of southern sediment sources in Delaware Basin through the Leonardian (e.g., Liu and Stockli, 2020). Finally, distance from a sediment source might record not just the thickening or thinning of units, but might record changes in sediment size or uniformity which affect reservoir quality and occurrence (Montgomery, 1997; Driskill et al., 2018; Liu et al., 2021).

*Thickening and Thinning of the Permo-Carboniferous as a Function of Tectonism
Associated with the Ouachita-Marathon Orogeny*

These cross sections, especially cross section B (Figures IV-9, 10), record significant thickening and thinning across the Pennsylvanian units and some thickening and thinning in the Lower Wolfcamp. Conversely, thickening in Upper Wolfcamp Group is comparatively minimal. This upward reduction in thickening aligns with interpretations by previous workers that the uppermost Wolfcamp Group is likely predominantly post-tectonic, whereas the lowermost Wolfcamp Group is likely syn-tectonic (Hills, 1984; Fitchen, 1997; Sinclair et al., 2017). Since the changes in accommodation and sediment supply are strongest adjacent to the thrust front, the

Pennsylvanian units in the southern portions of cross section B (Figure IV-10) likely record the most extreme subsidence and sediment delivery to the basin documented in these cross sections, representing the western edge of the Ouachita-Marathon foredeep (Liu et al., 2021). This is partially responsible for the difficulty in comparing the lower portions of the Wolfcamp Group, below the W50mfs surface, between the southern Delaware and southern Midland Basins. This is because of the strong, localized tectonic influence on the relative sea level curves for the Lower Wolfcamp Group, whereas the relative sea level curve associated with the comparatively quiescent Upper Wolfcamp Group is more likely to reflect eustasy, and the resulting Upper Wolfcamp Group sediment patterns are therefore more likely to be comparable between basins.

Conclusions

New correlations for the Wolfcamp Group, connecting southern Delaware Basin with the type locality outcrops in the Glass Mountains and with southern Midland Basin, yield several key insights. They show that the Wolfcamp Group can be defined and correlated consistently using chronostratigraphically-significant surfaces on a regional scale, especially by identifying and correlating specific high gamma-ray markers, within mudstone-prone intervals. They also show that the Wolfcamp Group is correlative across the tectonically complex southern Delaware Basin, as well as the outcrop belt.

Furthermore, this work also revealed that sandstone units in the Upper Pennsylvanian units and the lower parts of the Wolfcamp Group do not follow the thickening and thinning pattern of sandstone units in the upper Wolfcamp Group (e.g., the XY

sandstone intervals), demonstrating significance of varying sediment provenance through time. The outcropping Neal Ranch Formation is correlative with the operator-derived Wolfcamp C unit while the overlying Lenox Hills and Skinner Ranch Formations are correlative with the Wolfcamp B and A units, respectively. Finally, these correlations yield a three-dimensional understanding of the paleo-topography at the end of Wolfcamp Group deposition in the southern Delaware Basin, supporting a wedge-top carbonate depositional model, wherein the paleo-highs of the southern shelf were influenced by the Ouachita-Marathon thrust front and locally hosted carbonate platforms adjacent to the southern Delaware Basin.

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CHAPTER V

CONCLUSIONS

In describing over 2,000 feet (over 600 meters) of core data bed-by-bed, in conjunction with elemental data, this study was consistently able to differentiate between various populations of Wolfcamp Group mudstone facies, as well coarser sedimentary lithologies. At the bedset scale, these facies tend to cluster compositionally, and the Wolfcamp Group alternates between intervals which are more or less enriched in carbonate lithologies. These alternations were interpreted through a novel stratigraphic model which recognizes that, depending upon antecedent topography and on fluvial sediment availability, detrital carbonate production and/or delivery to the basin can actually be enhanced during sea level lowstands while siliceous intervals, when driven by productivity of siliceous radiolaria, need not be associated with lowstands and fluvial input to the deep basin. Using this framework, four depositional sequences were interpreted across the two cores. Additional findings from the core data include the efficacy of nickel as proxy for TOC, the upward fining of carbonate lithologies through the Wolfcamp Group, and the quantification of the dimensions of detrital carbonate beds correlated between the cores.

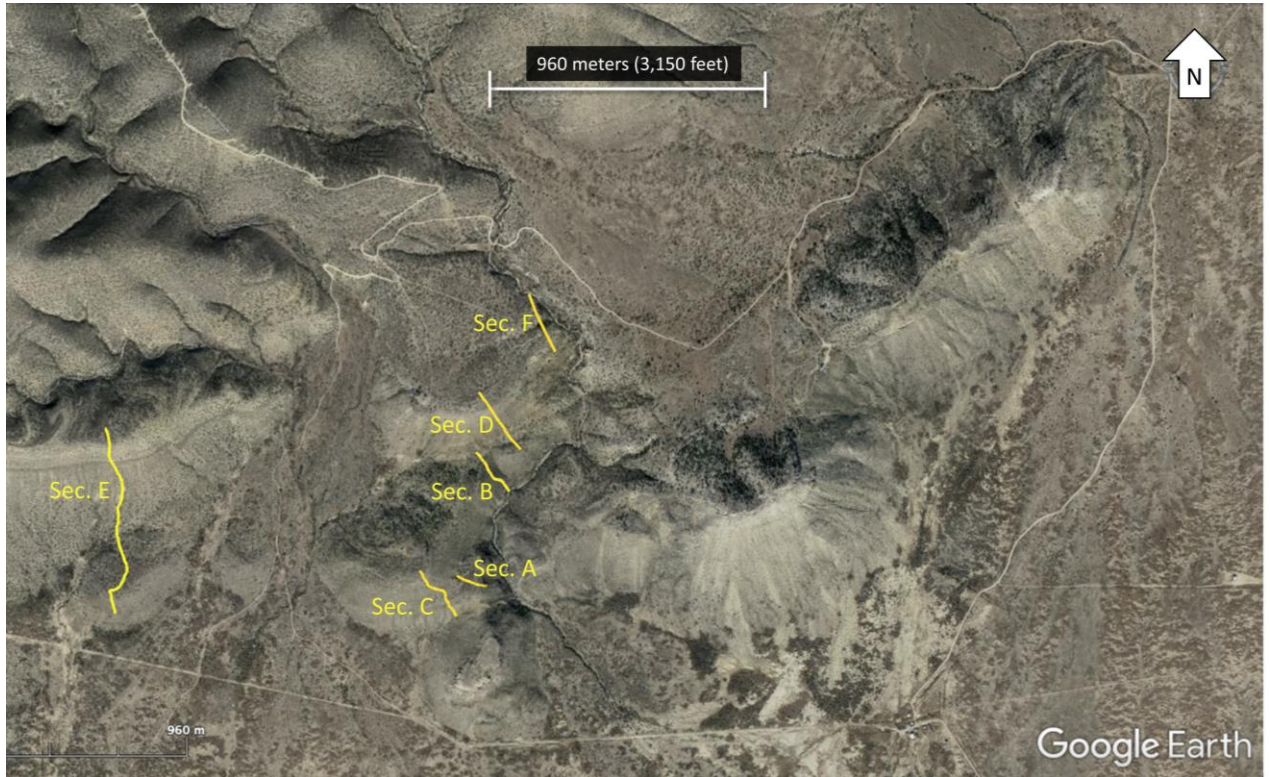
Study of the Lower Wolfcamp (Neal Ranch Formation) outcrops in the Wolf Camp Hills resulted in the identification of four major sequence boundaries, each overlain by carbonate-clast conglomerates and interpreted to be the updip equivalent of lowstand wedges in the basin. The first and lowermost sequence boundary occurs below the Bursumian Gray Limestone Member, the second occurs at the base of the Permian

and the base of the Wolfcamp Group. The third is internal to the Lower Wolfcamp, while the fourth caps the Lower Wolfcamp (Neal Ranch Formation) and marks the onset of the Lenox Hills Formation. Two major flooding surfaces were also identified as part of two 3rd-order sequences interpreted for the Lower Wolfcamp in the Wolf Camp Hills. These sequences, overlain by prominent carbonate-clast conglomerates, are interpreted as reflecting relative sea level oscillations across a unique wedge-top depositional environment, itself a function of the antecedent topography controlled by the extreme proximity to the Ouachita-Marathon thrust front.

Finally, new correlations for the Wolfcamp Group correlate the relatively consistent basinal stratigraphy with the underdeveloped and structurally complex Southern Delaware Basin, complete with a tie to the Glass Mountains exposures. Delaware Basin is then correlated with the studied cores from Midland Basin using prominent flooding surfaces which are correlative through the comparatively shallow Sheffield Channel, rather than attempting to correlate the basinal strata across the dramatically uplifted Central Basin Platform. In aggregate, these correlations yield a unifying framework for Wolfcamp Group stratigraphy. This stratigraphic framework enables the extrapolation of absolute age data through the Wolfcamp Group. Finally, a structure map of Southern Delaware Basin shows a relatively steep depositional profile for the Wolfcamp Group adjacent to the Ouachita-Marathon thrust front, potentially supporting the aforementioned wedge-top depositional model interpreted in outcrop.

APPENDIX A

MEASURED SECTION LOCATIONS IN WOLF CAMP HILLS



Location	Latitude	Longitude
Section A Base	30.35020	-103.13359
Section A Top	30.35003	-103.13372
Section B Base	30.35302	-103.13285
Section B Top	30.35350	-103.13380
Section C Base	30.34903	-103.13433
Section C Top	30.35040	-103.13590
Section D Base	30.35410	-103.13260
Section D Top	30.35566	-103.13380
Section E Base	30.34970	-103.14630
Section E Top	30.35460	-103.14751
Section F Base	30.35736	-103.13124
Section F Top	30.35908	-103.13224

APPENDIX B

WELL LOG TOPS PICKED FOR SUBSURFACE CORRELATIONS

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